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VISIT OF THE BOSTON LIGHT INFANTRY This célebrated corps arrived in New York on Saturday, 12th inst. as guests of the New York Light Goard. The "Tigers," as they are familiarly called, are one of the oldest organizations in Massachusetts, having been in existence since the year 1798. Some of the most distinguished individuals of the M. V. M. have sprung from their ranks, which include at present many highly respectable citizens of Boston. Their captain, Charles O. Rogers, Esq., is the well-known editor of the Boston Journal. They were also accompanied by a former member of the company, General B. F. Edmands. The company uniform is no stranger to this city, visits having been made three several times already. The first took place in 1826, and inaugurated that system of mutual hespitality among our citizen soldiery which has now become so wisely practised. Their next visit took place about twelve years since, and t eir third in 1354. The uniform of the corepany is exceedingly neat-black coat and pants with white facings,

cross-belts, bearskins and glazed knapsacks, on which the company's initials are painted. The overcoat is of heavy blue cloth. Gilmore's Salem brass band accompanied 'hem, and on this occasion the company was organized as a battalion of four companies, the lieutenants acting as captains, and Captain Rogers as commander. They turned out seventy-five muskets. The nickname of the company is a subject of frequent inquiry, and we are happy to have it in our power to clucidate the subject. About the year 1824 a visit was paid to Salem, Mass, by the company, and while there a trifling difficulty took place between one of the citizens who wished to enter their encampment, and a sentry who was ordered to exclude visitors. The citizen, incensed at what he considered unnecessary roughness in repulsing him, exclaimed "Oh, you tiger!" and the epithet was repeated by the company through the encampment. In returning to Boston a musical member ang an impromptu composition beginning, "Oh! you tigers, don't you know?" and on the visit of the company to New



AID GENERAL EDM NES

CFFICERS OF THE BOSTON LIGHT INFARTRY, -PHOTOGRAPHED BY C. D. PREDEICES

York in 1826 the crowd assembled at the landing-place greeted them with shouts of "Tigers! tigers!" Thenceforward the company adopted the appellation and the shout, which is now familiar as a household word all over the United States. The following are the names of the officers of the company: Captain, C. O. Rogers; Adjutant, Albert Dodd; Quartermaster, Ralph W. Newton; Paymaster, John C. Boyd; Aid, B. F. Edmands; Surgeon, L. R. Green; Lieutenants, John Jordan, C. H. Allen, A. G. Smith, W. G. Trein.

Despite the pouring rain, which fell unceasingly throughout the day, the Light Guard turned out with full ranks to receive their guests, and marched up with them through Cortlandt street and Broadway to the City Hall. There, it was arranged, the Mayor was to review them, but on account of the unpleasant weather this ceremony was dispensed with, and Mayor Tiemann received the officers in his private room. Compliments having been exchanged, the company commenced its march for the received the officers in his private room. Compliments having been exchanged, the company commenced its march for the Lafarge House, which they reached before midday, and where comfortable quarters had been provided for them. After a collation the Light Infantry and their hosts, the Light Guard, set out on a visit to Randall's Island, where they witnessed the exercises and amusements of the boys, and partook of another substantial "cup of water," as the Portuguese would say. General Edmands was selected by the Light Guard as the medium through which to present the boys, with a set of guidans, and

through which to present the boys with a set of guidons, and at the same time the Turkish Pacha's banner was presented to them by John N. Genin.

On Sunday morning the Light Infautry were escorted by their hosts to Trinity Chapel in Twenty-fifth sneet, where they listened attentively to an excellent sermon, and in the afternoon they took the edge off the Sabbath in a manner rather Metropolitan than Puritan. On Monday courtesies and hospitalities were lavishly exchanged. The National Guard paraded before the Lafarge House, in honor of the Boston company, and marched down with them to the City Hall Park, picking up the Scott Life Guard by the way. Miles of dense humanity thronged Broadway, and the companies actually ploughed their course through the masses until they reached the Park. Here numbers of our civil and military notabilities were assembled, and the Scott Life Guard were presented with a magnificent set of colors by the ladies of New York, through their deputy General Sanford. After speeches of no inconsiderable length, the companies performed some creditable evolutions, which elicited loud applause from the spectators, and resumed their march up Broadway.

The Bostonians and their hosts partook of refreshments at the Lafarge, during which no little breakage and leakage of champagne-bottles took place, and in the evening assembled at a splendid dinner at the Astor House, of which we engrave a representation. The Light Guard and Light Infantry were well catered for by Col. Stetson—who is a member of the former corps—and nothing was wanting to the success of the entertainment. The wines were worthy of Prince Metternich, and the dinner of Brillat-Savarin. Mayor Tiemann and all our Militia field officers Brillat-Savarin. Mayor Tiemann and all our Militia field omcers were present. The usual toasts were given and drunk with all the honors, and uproarious jollity was kept up far into Tuesday morning.

The company expressed themselves highly delighted with the handsome and commodious quarters assigned them at the Lafarge House. They were, indeed, regally lodged and served, and the kindness and courters shown to them by Henry Wheeler, Esq., the preprietor, Wesley W. Hill, Albert Adams, and in short all connected with that admirable hotel, the Lafarge house will long be gratefully remembered by the officers and men of the Boston Light Infantry.

On the morning of their departure the company and their friendly escort partook of a splendid and substantial breakfast at the Astor House, Colonel Stetson adding his liceral quota to the splendid hospitality which our citizen soldiers tendered to visitors from Boston.

On Tuesday Mr. Fredricks executed some fine photographs of the company, and in the afternoon they were escorted by several of our city companies to the Boston boat. Their visit has formed another link in the bond of good feeling which already closely unites the sister cities.

SONGS. By W. C. Bennett.

YE roses, with her blashes blow; Ye lilies, lift her neck of snow; Thou dusky night, ye starry skies, Show forth the dark light of her eyes; Thou rosy morning, steal to earth With her gay smiles, her sparkling mirth; You dewy tears of twilight eves, Weep softly, softly as she grieves-That ever she may present be In all sweet sounds we hear, in all sweet sights we see.

Thou, Music, with her low tones stir Our hearts; thou, Painting, image her; And thou, white Sculpture, let her seem To smile from every marb'e dream Of thine, that she may ever be Of thine, that she may ever be Fair in all fair things shaped by thee; And thou, O Poet, to her give, Sweet, in thy sweetest songs to live;—So thou, blest Art, shall give her part In all thy lustrous life in man's delighted heart.

> Dreams that I dream—sweet dr The length of a crowded street, A light form tripping to me, That makes my full heart beat; And a meeting that, thought of, seems Too sweet for a thing of dreams: Dreams that I dream-sweet dreams!

> Dreams that I dreamed-wild dreams ! A looking in tearful eyes, in eyes that for love of m Will not utter the soul's wild cries; And a last farewell that seems Too bitter for only dreams Dreams that I dream-wild dreams!

DOMESTIC MISCELLANY.

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SENATE, FRIDAY, June 11.—Nothing of interest done. Committees of Conference were appointed on the four Appropriation bills, to amendments of which the House had disagreed. The Indiana election was also considered. SATURDAY, June 12.—Mr. Bigler (Fa.) offered a resolution, extending the session indefinitely. Private bills were discussed, and consumed the entire time. The difficulty between Gwin and Wilson was announced as settled. MONDAY, June 14.—The Senate met at eleven and adjourned at six o'clock. Nothing of the sighthest public interest was effected.

TURBLAY, June 15.—In accordance with the President's proclamation, a special session commenced this day. A memorial was presented by Mir. Perkins, of Worcester, Mass., praying for redress against the Russian Government, in consequence of its refusing to fulfil its engagements. Referred to Committee on Foreign Relations. The resolutions on British aggressions were then discussed.

MEDISSELT, June 16.—Mr. Mason presented the resolutions on the British outrages. They embodied a determination to have the question settled at oace by compelling England to abandon her pretaincions, and also expressed approbation of the Pre-ident's action in sending out a naval force to protect American vessels from a repetition of the aggressions. This was passed unanimously, and this abort extra session closed. This was passed House of Representatives, Friday, June 11.—The Maryland open of White sgainst Harris was openioned. The Post Office is

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PATURDAY, June 12.—A message was received from the President, requesting the House not to adjourn till it had made the necessary money appropriations. Mr. Glancy Jones made a strong appeal, and the House voted to make the Loan bill twenty millions instead of fifteen. British outuages were discussed, in which Barksdale (Miss.), Burlingame (Mass.), Kendali (Maryland) and Mr. Sickles (N. Y.) distinguished themselves.

Monday, June 14.—Nothing of interest was done, and the House finally adjourned.

Utah —News from Salt Lake states that on the 11th of May everything was quiet. Numbers of the Mormons had commenced their flight southwards, surposed to be for Sonora. The Indians annoyed them somewhat. Brigham Young had delivared over the great seal to Governor Cumming, who in vain tried to persuade the Mormons to remain. This view of the case is taken from Governor Cumming's despatches. The commander of the American army sent against them advises Secretary Floyd that the Mormons are acting a treacherous part, and mean to wait till the troops withdraw. This, of course, they won't do, but will most probably advance and garrison some of the stroogholds of the city.

California.—The Star of the West has arrived; dates from San Francisco to the 20th May, and \$1,500,000. The news is singularly uninteresting. The excitement occasioned by the discovery of gold mines on Franciscr viver, British possessions, still continues, and the loose population of California is flowing thitherwards. The election had resulted in the Democratic triumph.

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Murderons Duel.—A most unfortunate affair has happened. Edward Miles and William Curry had a dispute about some adobes, a kind of sun-dried bricks. Miles challenged the other, who declined to fight on account of his antagonist not being a gentleman. This induced Benjamin Miles, his younger brother, to challenge Curry. Rifles, at twenty paces, were chosen as the weapons. Miles fired into the air, but his brutal opponent aimed at him and killed him. The unfortunate man was buried with Masonic henors.

Central America. Felly Bully is still generalized in dislocation in uncommended.

Central America.—Felix Belly is still exercising his diplomatic impuence in Nicaragua, and is apparently exercising great influence over Presiden

Mexico.—The Zulosga Government had imposed a tax upon all foreigners, ighting continued in various parts of this wretched country, in which Zuloga etems to be the vanquished party. There is, however, such enormous ping in these parts of the world that it really bewilders the public. The Pope at thanked Zulosga for restoring the property of the clergy. The newspapers ere being suppressed.

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California.—The Drama.—Mr. and Mrs. Wallack are performing at Maguire's Opera House. They have appeared in many of their favorite characters, among others those in Othello. Winter's Tale, Hamlet, Civilization, &c. They produced the "Poor of New York" one night, but it was a total failure. The Cali-ornia press erroneously gives to Mr. Bourcicault the wholescredit of this absurd piece of patchwork. He was only one-fourth part begetter of the trash. Mr. and Mrs. John Wood had succeeded the Wallacks. Miss Helfert, formerly of Burton's and the Bowery, has become one of the Alleghanians, and is very popular os a singer.

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An Appalling Disaster.—One of the most touching calamities we have ever read has lately occurred at Rockford, Illinois, by which the wife and eight children of Mr. Beley were drowned. This terrible result was occasioned by the bursting of a bank which confined the river in its bed, the level of which at this place is nearly thirty-five feet above the plain. When the dyke burst the water rushed around the house, and a consultation was held on the propriety of abandoning the dwelling. Unfortunately, they resolved to remain. In the night the waters rushed against the doomed dwelling; it swayed to and fro, and the ninally fell, burying all in the ruine except the unhappy father, who is much to be pitied for surviving the wreck of his family. Mr. Ibsley was the clergy man of the place, and had only just commenced his ministry there.

The Better Half.—Ladies sometimes lead their husbands into worse scrapes than marriage. Some time ago two fair ladies of Salem, Indians, conceived that they had the "right?" to abate a nuisance in the shage of a grocery where liquors was sold, and, arming themselves with crowbars, proceeded to execute their charitable design. The grocery keeper warned them to desist from the invasion of bis rights, and this proving of no avail, he had the ungallantry to attack one of the fair demolishers with a stick. The assaulted lady backed out of the affair, and called on her husband to step into her shoes. The husband stepped into her shoes, armed with a hatchet, when the grocery keeper "let into" him with his lists, and gave him such an "cwful whaling" that he had to be carried home. It is supposed that the husband, when he recovered, handed over to his wife the whaling he received on her seconn.

Commodore Stockton.—John Stockton, the son of this fine old sailor,

Commodore Stockton.—John Stockton, the son of this fine old sailor, as been appointed minister to Switzerland. This is much approved of by all he respectable democracy of New Jersey, and is an evidence that Mr. Buchanan carreful in selecting the men who are to uphold the dignity of the American epublic in foreign countries. It has been too long the fashion to get rid of roken-down politicisms by sending them abroad as consula, ministers, &c. Mr. comma Price will, we are informed, soon receive a mark of the President's appreciation of his services to the Democratic cause.

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Japonication.—The Fifth avenue is in a state of the most delicious twitter and flutter. Fair crinolines are practising ogling and languishing airs in long mirrors. Gourand is inventing an elaxir to make the fair sex still more bewitching. Second-hand French is in demand, and small talk is becoming greatly cultivated. "Burke's Pecrage" is not a premium, and young ladies of the upper ten are learning the family names of all the great titles of Eng'and. Seme have got so far as to know that Victoria's real name is Guelph, and that her title of Queen of Great Britain is an atlas. Young Spindle Shanks (not the doctor) calls the Duke of Mariborough, Churchill, and the Duke of Richmond, Lenox. We are afraid that none of them will have the impudence to boast the acquaintance of the Rutland family, since they would then know Manners. The cause of this revival in the world of rashion is the following announcement in the Court Journal: "Lord Edward Cavendish, son of the Duke of Devonshire, and Lord Richard Grovenor, son of the Marquis of Westminster, were to leave for the United States during the present month, to spend six months in America." Lest any of our fair readers should be induced to waste a sigh upon either of these embryo dukelings, let them remember that the former is solemally engaged to Lady Caroline Beauclere, sister of the Duke of St. Albana; and Lord Grovenor is equally the property (in posse) of Lady Georgiana Paget. They are merely coming over here to look at un savages while their honeymonns are cooking.

Trial by Jury.—The first case of trial by jury has come off at Constantinople, before the English Consular Tribunal. A Maltese had been up before a half a dozen English re-idents, and found guilty of homicide. We trust it will work better than it does here. The reluctance of our juries to convict any criminals is very flattering as a tribute to friendship, but very inconvenient to those who have been wronged. Forgiveness of injuries should never be carried into the jury box. It is an individual virtue, not a collective wisdom.

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Cholee of Evils.—The Evening Visitor, of Sacramento, Cal., has a little romance which we endorse: "Miss Mary Ann Morrison, an English rirl, was, last fall, taken towards Salt Lake city by some Mormon relatives. When near Fort Bridger her antipathy towards Mormonism culminated, and she field from the train. She was followed, and just as she was about being captured an Indian of the Shoshone tribe re-cued and took her to the Fort. Her gratitude to the 'Big Indian' became tinged with 'tender affection,' and the twain wers made one by the Aray Chaplain. They say the Shoshone is 'much sweet' on 'his Mary Ann.'" Some would consider this "out of the frying-pan into the fire,'" but a grass widow of Equash Hollow informs us most ladies would prefer a whole Indian to herself rather than the forty-eighth part of a Mormon, even though he were as big as the new Mormon chief, Blake. Women are great monopolists, and, as Byron says,

"Turn up their noses at the eightieth part Of what should be monopoly, the heart."

High Floods.—At St. Louis the river has risen very much, and was still

High Floods.—At St. Louis the river has risen very much, and was still rising by the last accounts. Bloody Island is partly submerged, and tracks of the Terre Haute and Alten and the St. Louis and Chicago roads are under water. At Madison, fifteen miles above St. Louis, the water has broken through the bank, and is now running over the American bottom. The streets of Naples are two feet under water.

The Writing Corpse.—The Republican, of Columbus, Indiana, in puffing a Philadelphia magazine, announces that, "Hereafter Mrs. 8. will write exclusively for Peterson, her own magazine having been merged into it, and her fine corpse transferred to it?" We should say a corpse would be a dead weight

to it.

Ingenious Nonsense.—The Sierra Gazette, of Kansas, thus playfully meanders through its vocabulary. Surely when puns reign, revolvers and bowie-knives are harmless;

"Kansas, Kongerss and Kongusson.—The action of Kongress on Kansas, koncerns, knuses a konsiderable knantity of kurious komment; and kuite a krowd kontend that illearly there kan be no kandid man who konceives the hase klewerly adjusted. Popular sovereignty party patriots persist in pretending that their principles predominate pre-eminently; perhaps they presume particularly on that peculiar point. Lecompton leaders lay low and laugh, lingering lazity on a rean doubt, and leaving lost chances lagging in the rear. They know that Kansas kan keme in kompletely, before Kongress konsenis to to knock off work; but we are sorry to know that the konfounded kontention kontinues."

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A Dish of Horrors.—An exchange contains the following batch of suicides:
Irs. Gannett, drinking strychnine, iii health; Miss Lydia Nuck, took arsenic,
two; Wno. Wood, laudanum, unknown; Thos. Barrett, hung himself, destituton; Win. Russell, hung himself, dome-tic trouble; Julius Hewitt, hung himelf, domestic trouble.

Seri, domestic trouble.

Californian Gossip.—Garotting is now a Californian amusement, several cases having occurred lately. Two ladies, dwelling in neighboring rancheros, quarrelled, and keeping the matter concealed from their husbands, who were both wealthy men, resolved, when their lords went for the the next cay, to have it out in a regular duel. Stealing their husband's revolvers, they met next day in a measow, at thirty paces, and commenced firing at each other. The first one shot a pig some sixty yards off, and the other killed her leat cow. Somes hat solved by thee fairlures, they agreed to give over their quarrel, but their fiery temper led them both in a difficulty that very ovening, for each

accused the other of having damaged the pig and cow. The husbands were going to fight the matter out themselves, when the affection of one of the spouses came to their rescue; she confessed the whole affair. The husbands adjourned into the next room, and came to the determination to give their wives. a good whipping in their mutual presence. This was done, but the women howled and screamed so that some neighbors, were attracted, and the husband is were given in charges for attending to mutual review. The affair has caused considerable excitement. The cow and pig are to be brought up as witnesses. Miles Radice of Christian county, Cal., killed his cow, recently, and found in her stomach several ten and sixpenny nails, a hook from a hat-rack, a large brass sing, a hair pig, a breasting, and some heeless and geserably amusing her, while the other carried on with Miss. Lloyd, a grass widow of San Bernardino. The injured husband pleaded a set off, and proved that the kind friend had paid him self by seducing the woman he was employed to protect. The jury decided that did not alter the question; they awarded thirty dollars for the services rendered, but advised the husband to give up courting grass widows till he had get rid of his wife. As a pendant, we give—Since the death of Warren Carpenter, it has been ascertained from his private papers that he purchased Mrs. Levina Fisher from her husband, six years ago, for the sum of \$15 cash, since which time she lived with him as wife and housekeeper.

FOREIGN NEWS. ENGLAND.

Parliamentary Summary, from May 31 to June 4.

HOUSE OF LORDS, May 31.—The Conference Report of the two Houses on the Oaths bill was considered. Lord Lucan moved a compromise, which was negatived. Lord Lyndhurst then withdrew his motion to admit the Jews, upon the understanding that Earl Granville should frame something to meet the wishes of the House of Commons.

June 2.—Mr. D'Israeli's after dinner speech at Slovely Lord to the Commons.

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June 2.—Mr. D'Israeli's after dinner speech at Slough led to considerable debate. Lord Derby defended his colleague's satirical remarks, although he owned possibly some might have been indiscreet.

June 4.—The peers had a short sitting, in which Rajah Brooke's conduct was the subject of debate, 7

Houss of Commons, May 31.—Mr. Lindsay inquired of Mr. Walpole if Government had any intelligence of the outrages perpetrated upon American vessels by British cruisers. Mr. Walpole would inquire and give his answer the next day.

June 1.—Mr. Edward Languard M. Alford Walpole would inquire and give his answer

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June 1.—Mr. Fitzgerald assured Mr. Lindsay that the boarding of American
essels by English ships of war was unauthorized by the Government, and
rould be apologised for. He, however, said nothing as to the right being aban-

would be a pologised for. He, however, said nothing as to the right being abandoned.

June 2.—Captain Vivian moved that the military department be under a war minister, who should be responsible for the proper fulfillment of the service. It was opposed by the Government, but the motion was carried by 106 to 104. Mr. D'Israeli announced the next night that the ministers would pay no stiention to the recommendation, since it was taken in a thin house and the majority was so very small. The Suez canal was debated, in which Lord Palmerston said England could not suffer it, since it might be held by an enemy.

June 3 and 4—Little of importance. D'Israeli could give no information of what was doing in China, all being left to the discretion of Lord Eigin—nor could he produce the instructions, since they were concerned with allies in the matter.

By the Europa we have advices from Europe to the 5th June. The news in interesting, but not importent. The Great Fastern or Levisthan requires £220,000 sterling more to finish it, will be laid on between England and Portland, the Australian trip being

abandoned.

The Atlantic Telegraph fleet returned to Plymouth on the 3d. The experiment of paying out the cable in three miles' deep water was perfectly successful, and the new machinery is pronounced perfect. The operation of splicing was perfected four times, and the cable was paid out at the rate of seven and eight knots per hour. The expedition was to finally start from Plymouth on the 9th

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Additional troops were to be sent to India, the British Government having chartered twenty large vessels for that purpose. 25,000 men were to be shipped without delay.

The new Galway line of steamers commences to run in a few days from that port to New York. She will bring a Government mail. These boats will run fortnightly, and are expected to cross the Atlantic in eight days.

From India and China nothing new. A hot weather campaign was inevitable in India, and the rumor of the death of the Emperor of China led all to believe difficulties would be prolonged.

The tone of the press in relation to the British outrages, as well as the speeches in Parliament certainly indicate that the British Government will apologise and offer reparation, but they all unito in maintaining the right of visit. The London Times, however, seems to have pitched the slavery question over altogether, for it boldly recomments the abandonment of the Anti-Slavery crusare, and devote the ships and money to another and a better purpose.

From France the news is of little interest. Prudhon, the great cofalist, had been sentenced to three years' imprisonment and 4,000 france fine for the publication of his last work.

The London Times publishes a copy of the convention between Costa Rica and Nicaragua at 4 Felix Belly, the French diplomatist. It concedes to a French company the right of a canal across the Isthmus The Times pronounces the scheme impracticable. The Presidents of Costa Rica and Nicaragua appeal to Europe, and France particularly, for protection against American filibusters.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

By the Vanderbilt, which made the run from land to land in six days ten ours, we have news from Europe to the 9th.

The intelligence is summed up in a few lines.

There had been an eruption of Vesuvius, which had destroyed much life and

ne of the London press on the outrages committed by their cruisers is

ccedingly moderate. The French equadron, which had sailed with scaled orders, had concentrated

n the Adriatic. There is a rumor of a difficulty between France and Spain, but it appears to est on the mere fact of the French Ambassador at Madrid having gone to

aris. The insurrection in Candia was becoming quite formidable. Prince Albert is on a visit at Berlin.

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India.—The news from India is a week later than our last issue. Sir Hugh
tose had defeated the seppys with great shaughter, 4,000 being left dead on the
leid. They were concentrated at Calpee, where they had resolved to make
mother stand. Nena Sahib was becoming all rined for his own safety and had
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Mock Auctions.—Judging from Russeil's letters, the auction sales of the spoils taken at Delhi, Luckoow and Cawnpore, are very much like our Peter Funk establishments of Chatisan street. He says: "The sales take place every morning, from sight till ten o'clock, in the kotwal's or mayor's house, in the Caaninee Choke, or principal street of the city. Parsing through a marrow floorway, you come to a flight of steps which leads you to the usual courtyard, surrounded by buildings on all sides, to be found in all decent Oriental mansions. The principal range is before you, and you pick your way through heaps of rubbish, to the esplanade in front of the colonande, through which access is gained to the apartments. This rubbish consists of all kinds of furniture more or less shattered, baskets of books, and rude—sometimes indelicate—drawings, battered chandeliers, cooking utensis, and the debris of a huge city tied up in old shawle, sheets, curtains—the realization of a lunatic's dream of Wardour street, with reminiscences of the New Cat. On the esplanade are heaps of more valuable stuff—arms, and Cashmere, Delhi and Cawnpore work—arms of Damascus and Alighanistan, inland cabinets, ivory boxes, models of temples, mosques, ships, becodes, and gold and silver cloths, horse trappings, photographic apparature, richly-bound and filuminated copies of the Koran and of Persian pogens and sofries—aurung which are moving, far more curious and interesting than the things themselves, a crowd of very oddly and variously stitude discuss, tossing over and examining the different articles, or engaged in friendly competition for a sword, shawl, or rifle, in the hands of the sactioneer, a quick-eyed, smart-tongued Eurasian, who recent the offers in English and Hindostane, alternately, the latter language being intended for the outside circle-of-patigus, which forms a kind of frame for the gap p

GOSSIP OF THE WORLD. ENGLAND.

A Yankee Poer—Our Down-Easter, ex-Lord Chancellor, Lord Lynd
urst, completed on the 21st of May his eighty-eighth year. He was born in
outon, Mass., in 1769, and is, with the exception of Viscount St. Vincent, the
diest peer living. Only has month Lyndhurst spoke for an hour with his
countomed elequence and force. Law seems to agree with human beings, for
irougham preserves his powers equally with his former rival.

John Smith.—The original John Smith has been found. Shem, the f Noah, was the founder of this wonderful family. The way in which it elled into Smith was thus: Shem, Shemi, Shemit, Shemith. After with come and the relation Smith comes quite naturally.

Atlantic Telegraph.—On the evening before the departure of the Electric fleet a grand dinner was given by Capta in Stewart of the Impregnable and the British officers, to Captain Hodson of the Niagara and his officers. The quarter-deck was profusely decorated, and in the evening brilliantly illuminated. The dinner was excellent, and the healths of the Queen and President were drank with great applausa. The next morning this much talked of fleet

steamed in line for the south-west in the following order: Gorgon, Valorous, Agememnon and Niagara!

Agememon and Niagara!

Bunyan's Flute.—An English paper gives an elaborate description of the famous musical instrument of the famous author of the "Pilgrim's Progress."! It is well-known that he manufactured his faute out of the leg of a chair, and that he was in the habit of screwing it into its place again when he beard the jailer unlock his door. This inability to discover the musical instrument gave rise to the superstitious belief of the officials that the poor tinker was in league with the devil. The flute is now in the possession of Mr. Hovell, of Gainsboro', Yorkshire. It has certainly the appearance of the progression of the possession of the possesion of the possession of the possession of the possession of the

The O'Connells.—Some years ago, when the great Dan was in the zenith of his fame, he was in the babit of beasting there were eight of them! Only two of his numerous sons are now living, and only one O'Connell in Parliament. John, the Liberator's favorite son, has lately died poor, and a disappointed man. So much for a family which, at one time, almost controlled the action of the Whig Ministry.

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Chit-Chat.—Napoleon and Eugenie are at Fontainbleau, where they are entertaining a select circle of eleganies. Hunting and various other amusements are the order of the day—the old story of Nero fidding while Rome is blazing. Such things must come to a violint end.

Three Descriptions.—The great Popish organ in Paris is L'Univers. Its only merit is blood hirsty bigotry. It would make an auto da fe of every-body who declined to swallow its nostrums. It haves Louis Napoleon while it toadies him, and is constantly advising him to make war upon England, believing it would prove his rain. The Orsini demonstration has given it an opportunity of expressing its opinions of Germans, Italians and French; they are curicus:

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Germans — In the United States the Germans are generally practical materialists, who believe in this world only, and seek by every possible means to lead a truly epicurean life. If they do not succeed they have recourse to suicide, which in America is almost entirely confined to Germans.

Italians—An Italian in New York, if able to earn a little money, becomes a dandy, and seeks to conquer fortune by his dress and manners. He embraces every profession, quarrels with the opera management, endeavors to peak in English to the public, and to relate to it his campaigns of Rome or Lombardy, and ends by being turned out of every respectable house because he insults the ladies. If the Italian has no resources he grinds an organ.

Frenchmen—The Frenchman in New York, who is not in trade, generally gives lesions in French without any great success; if he is not a voter, be turns Red Republicas, dreams of social earthquakes which would give him an opportunity of displaying his splendid abilities, and ecoffs at the American Republic; or else he is a pauper, living in idleness at the expense of the public, and either prefending to be broken down in health or a victim of tyranny. The Frenchman out of his country is an ldiot, who cries down his countrymen, and opposes, in a narrow-minded and vain spirit, any formation of a society for literary or social purposes.

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Mario has, it must be confessed, a magnificent taste and capacity for personal extravagance. He has declined signing an engagement with the Italian Opera for the next season, giving as his reasons that his expenses during his last visit to Paris were 135.000 francs, while his receipts were only 105,000f. Mario, who is Duke of Candia, never wears the same pair of gloves twice, and puts on several pairs a day. He and Madame Grisi have lately been residing at their villa in the neighborhood of Florence, but are now singing in London.

Louis Napoleen.—This modern Damocles has given another proof how deeply he has become a slave to the army. A Lieutenant Mercy murdered his substitern some time since, for which he was tried by a court martial, found guilty and condemned to death. The man's character was decidedly bad, and it was not fine first murder he had been accused of. The Emperor has commuted the sentence to imprisonment, and his friends say after a time he will doubtless pardon him. The rancer existing between the civilians and the army threatens to lead to serious consequences. It is curious to remark the change in the English papers. Two years ago he was all in all—now he is lampooned in Panch, and abused in the serious journals. The Hustrated Times calls him "the tacturn butchman who now sits on the uneasy throne of France!"

Duchess d'Orleans.—A correspondent of a German paper says that seldom has such a noble band of famous men gathered around a corpse as lately stood by that of the Duchess of Orleans. It must have been a bitter pill for Louis Napoleon to read how much of the chivalry and intel'ect of France was gathered in the little Catholic chapel of Wevbridge. Guizot, Thiers, Victor Hugo, Ary Scheffer, Montalembert, De Broglie, Montesquieu, &c. Pellssier, Walewski, De Morny, and Lieutenant Hyene, who murdered M. Pene, are but poor substitutes for such men!

A Brave Lass.—A young peasant girl, in walking from Malmaison to a neighboring town, was stopped by a robber, who, holding a heavy club at her bead, demanded her money. The undaunted female wrenched the cudgel from the robber's hand, knocked him down, tied his arms bebind him with her shawl, and carried him to the neighboring town, where she delivered over her assailant into the hands of the police.

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A Mrs. Hernby has published a book full of amusing anecdotes of the Turks. From her accounts the ladies of the harem are rather harum-scarum in their manners, and whenever they get the opportunity make love to any unprotected man at a furious rate. She says that a young and bashful music teacher was neatly driven wild by one of the Pasha's wives. He had been engaged by the Pasha to teach his wives music. When he went in the morning to give his lessons he was thus persecuted. It must be remembered that it is the virtuous music master's sister who is relating his trials: "Perhaps there are two or three yelled ladies in the room into which he is usbered by the attendants. Sometimes the Pasha himself is there, but very seldom; there are always two or three black attendants. The lesson begins," says Dhudu, "in a melancholy voice, and they are generally very stupid. The men whoguard them soon grow tired of looking on, and stupil away to their piper. They are hardly outside the door when down goes the yashmak of one of the ladies. She is very pretty, but very thresome; my brother is afraid to look at her. What should he do if the Pasha were suddenly to return, or one of the slaves to enter and report this to him. So he turns his head away and tries to induce her to go on with her lesson. Would you believe it," says Dhudu, still more indignantly, "the other day she took hold of his chin, and turned his face to hers, and said, laughing, "Why don't you look at me, you pip?" What can my brother do? The Pasha would never believe that it was not his fault. Sometimes one of them will creep under the pianofurfe, and putting ber Singer into his shee tickle his foot. Yesterday they slipped two peaches into his pocket, tied up in muslin with blue ribbons, clapping their hands and laughing when he found it out. You know what those peaches mean? They mean kieses," said Dundu, coloring; "and it made my brother so nervous, for the men were in the outer room, and might have hearf all about it. He would be sorry to have them

PARLOR GOSSIP FOR THE LADIES.

A Fantastic Bonnet.—Dresses of light and transparent materials are invariably made with flounces or double skirts. Chequered patterns, in every variety of color, are in high favor. In rubbone, too, it is much employed for trimming bonnets. A somewhat singular style of trimming for bonne's has lately been introduced in Paris. Though patronised by several ladies of high low, it must, nevertheless, be regarded as a fantaste rather than a fashion. It consists of the admixture of black with colored ribbons. A fashionable Parisiar milliner has trimmed a bonnet of Belgian straw with black and blue ribbon combined, and even a bonnet of delicate French chip trimmed with black libbon and grosselite-colored velvet. These bonnets have been made and worn in Paris within the lasx tortnicht. bbon and groseille-colored velvet Paris within the last fortnight.

Female Employment.....We desire to see flower farms and orgentumatories established in our country for the extraction of essences thrive in the open fields of our country. Besides opening up a new field of enterprise and good investment for capital, it would give healthy employment to many women and children. Open air employment for the young is of no little cusid-ration, to maintain the stamina of the future generation; for it cannot be denied that our factory system and confined cities are prejudicial to the physical condition of the human family.

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Chi.ese Courtably.—The war of England and France with China will lead to the disclosure of many curious customs observed by those eccentric people, and which appear as absurd to us as no doubt many of ours do to them. There is one in use amongst the river population, which we give. Any man of this class who wishes to marry goot in harvest-time into the next field, and gathers a little sheaf of rice, which he fastens to one of his cars. Then when he is in the presence of the tanks girl of his choice, he puts his our into the water, and goes several times round the boat belonging to the object of his affections. The next day, if the latter accepts his homage, abe in her turn fastens a bunch of flowers to her car, and comes rowing about man her her betrothed. The sheaf of rice signifies that the young man undertakes to toil laboriously to maintain her he loves. The girl replies, by the bunch of flowers, that she will give him happiness in exchange!

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A France Parson.—We learn from the Beliast Mercury that a young lady had delivered a second sermon from the pulpit of Salem Chapel (Me hodist, new connection), t king for he text the sixteenth verse of the first chapter of Rumans: "For I am not ashamed of the Gospil of Christ; for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first and a to to the Giesek." In the treatment of her subject Miss Buck displayed axis or described in the command of language was great, her logic profound, and the analysis of the character of the "Aposte to the Gentiles," with which she preficed the discourse, was a masterpiece of pulp-t oratory, showing a thorough appreciation of human character. The sermon lasted one hour and fifteen minutes, and our fair preacher, who was very cloquent, did not on a single occasion descend to commonplace or hacknop phrases. Originality and

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gen'us were pre-eminent, and her theology was such as the most critodox would approve. It is a pity that Miss Buck, with her powers of mind, has not sufficient good sense to turn them into their proper channels. There is a wide field open, but unfortunately our strong-minded women overlook that, and too frequently infringe the laws of decorum, and, as in this instance, tread on forbidden ground.

Marriage of the King of Portugal.-The marriage by proxy of the Marriage of the Kit'g of Portugal.—The marriage by proxy of the Princess Etephanie with the King of Portugal, to which we have stready alluded, was ratified on the 10th of May with all the solemnities of the Romish church. There was great rejoicing at Liebou, and the feativities were to be continued for five days, after which it was expected their majesties would repair to the cool shades of Ciotra. The young queen was well received, and appears to have made a very favorable impression on the people. She is represented as most amisble, and deserving the happiness which, we learn from a correspondent, she is likely to find in her new home; for the royal family has been most carefully brought up, and its members have hitherto formed a very united domestic circle.

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Art of Gracefulness.—Although too great a plumpness and rotundity of form is never likely to distrees our ladies, they being so justly admired for their slim, graceful and displified carriage; still we know that young ladies are frequently simple enough to deplore their fate should they have the good fortune to possess a row, healthy complexion, and are ready to resort to any expedient, even the forfeiture of health, for a delicate and ladylike pallor; we, therefore, kindly warn them against too frequent a use of acids, since it is destructive to the digestive powers if indulged beyond a certain point, although beneficial if used moderately.

A few years ago, a young lady in easy circumstances and in the enjoyment of good health, was very plump, had a good appetite, and a complexion blooming with roses and like. She, however, began to look upon her plumpness with suspicion, for her mother was very fat, and she was afraid of becoming like her. Accordingly, she consulted a woman, who advised her to drink a glass of vinegar daily. The young lady followed her advice and her plumpness diminished. Delighted with the success of her experiment, she continued it for more than a month. She began to cough—it was attributed to cold, which would soon pass off; but the dry cough became moist, accompanied by a slow fever, a difficulty of breathing; her body became lean and wasted away, night sweats ensued, swelling of the feet and legs followed, and a diarrhea terminated her life. Therefore, young ladies, never pine for graceful thinness and palicr: if nature means you to be ruddy accept it with a laughing grace, which will expirate more hearts than all the paleness of— At any rate, understand that vinegar will only diminish the rosy hue, and fat, by affecting and ultimately destroying your health.

MRS. SQUIZZLE IN WASHINGTON.

Her Irreparable Loss—Pays due Respect to the Memory of her Departed Husband—Squizzle Unexpectedly Turns up— Lecture—Confession, &c.

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PM alive, but it's a wonder after what I've bin thru. My kondition for the past week has bis one us great prekariousnes.

After the unparrallelled exertions us the doctor who hante slept a wink nite nor da for two weaks, Providence has seen fit to restore me sufficiently to set up long enuf to have my bed maid.

Sally Mari—the deer git)—durin my illness had the house drest in mournin from top to bottom, even the winder curtains and table linen was all bordered with black, and everything about the house looked jeist about the solemest kind. She even thort uv the door-plate, and had it removed, for she sed every time she went out and in it harrowed up her feelins so tu see Squizzle in big letters a starein her in the face that she kouldn't indure it, and shes furnished adealy not a new one, which will be beautiful and strikin I reckon when its dum. A vine ux weepin willers runs all around the plate, and Wilder Squizzle is to be painted in big black letters in the centre.

Im expect in it every minit, and Sally Mari shes bin a hurryin em up, for she says its necessary tu git it put on the door as soon as possible tu let folks no what our sitiwation is.

People around here hev bin very kind a tryin tu cheer me up and console me, but its no use; after a womans hart is broke its broke, and theres no sich a tring as mendin it.

Sally Mari anderstands my feelins bettern anybody else, and she has poortrayd em vividly in the f llowin sympathetic pease uv poetry, which she rit for the Phizzle, and which on account uv the disorderly state of my mind she didnt show tu me till it cum out in print. I kommensed readin it aloud, and I stood it very well till I kum tu that touchin line,

"For him who now has past awa."

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My voise begun tu quiver and shake and tremble, and it finaly made a gineral brake and gin out intirele, and black Sam stood over me with a big pitcher uw water and a turkey-tail fan tu keep me from faintin, while Sally Mari kommensed and red in a melankolly tone the followin:

Desend, my mews, this day desend, And your assistance kindly lend;
It is your darter Sally Mariar
That bids you now her thorts inspire,
And help to write a mournful la
To Jabez Squizele's memora.
O, he was as the Bible saith,
A goodly man—the salt of th' airth,
And while I speak of his sad fate,
I think of her—his mournim mate—
Deeply she mourns, and well she msy, I think of her—his mournin mate—
beeply she mourns, and well she may,
For him who now has past awa.
But si's and teers are all in vair—
His like she near will see again.
Such sorrow did her fase suffuse
When she first heard the dredful news,
That those who saw could scarce believ
She could so love who did so grieve.

She could so love who did so grieve With her fair locks disheveled, Her cheeks with tears bedriveled, There she lay—Like a heap of clay—All in a darkened room, Sbrouded in grief and gloom; Loud sobs the stillness broak, And every word she spoak For twenty-four Hours or more Was—has he come Oh! has be come? I jest wish you could have seen that look of inscrutable wo That poor widder Squizzle put on when we arnsered her—no Grim death selects the fairest, The richest and the rarest Flowers that grow On earth below— Flowers that grow On earth below— Cares not how many widders he makes When he his victim takes

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To tnat distant bourn
From whence none return,
And every word
That we heard
Was—has he come?
O, has he come?
Ot, has he come?
But as no Squizzle appeared or to relieve the poor widder's wo,
We war obliged to turn our hed awa and si as we armsered her—no!
Ive red considrable poitry in my da, but I never cum across anything that
cums up to this in pint av sentiment, and tho I don't like to flatter Sally Mari,
Ive told her it was worthy uv her, and it kant fall to touch the harts uv al
disconsolate widders I know, from the effect it has had on mine.
Just at this minit the new door plate cum, and with the assistance of black
Sam and Sally Mari I went out tu see it put on. Jest as the feller that brought
it was a patim in the last screw who should make his appearance but Squizzle
for suce, and nobody elso. Then Sally Mari screamed out at the top uv her
voise that it was no Squizzle at all, but a gloot. I kouldnt say nothin for a
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minit or two. I was so thunderstruck and delited tu see him, and he looked about as mutch bewizzled as any uv us when his eye rested on the new door plate. At last, for want of breth, Saily Mari is eye rested on the new door plate. At last, for want of breth, Saily Mari is topt a skreaming. Squizzle he stood loom first at the door plate and then at me, but he didnt as authin, while I was ruenin over in my mint the expense I'd bin tu. There was thirty dollar dre see 'or me and saily Mari, black stockins, black shoes, black gloves, and the hull house dressed in mournin, tu a nuthin uv the new door plate, and squizzle not dead yet. Was there ever sich a—happy disappintment? One hundred and sixty-flwe dollars out uv pockit, and all his fawlt.
Squizzle, see I, for I see he want a makin no preparation tu speak, but stood there with his big mouth stretched, a lookin first at one and then at another. I reckon if I had not hew sed Squizzle, be'd hew stood there till this time a lookin, and lagreed I mite as well out with it at one, so see I. Squizzle, wher's upon airth hev y u bin? He looked purty mutch as if hed bla drawed thru a not hole. His clothes was orfully siled; one uv his eyes, was intirely out uv site, and the place where it ortube was all sorts of colors. I reckon he wont sa nuthic more about wimmins paintin after this. When Sam askt him what silded his eye he sed it want nuthin cept hed bin askep and haant got but one eye waked up yet, but he kould see more than he wanted to with that, and then looks.

So can been more than I want to see I lookin him sequence in the form and the looks.

So can I see more than I want tu, see I, lookin him square in the fase, and nore than I expected to when that was put on the door. Any man that will tesert his family fur the space of two weaks, and nover let em no his wherehours, or whether hes dad or alive ortu be obliged to sta awa intirely. Everybody had gin you up for ded a week ago, and theres no tellin the expense we bin to, to try and show decent respect to your memory, and now the dish a upsot agin, and night on to two hundrid dollars throwed awa on black dresses not mournin fixins.

A pervous excitement, brought on by your sudden dec. (are, nearly befrensied

As I sed that Squiszle pulled the last number of the Weakly Phizzle out uv his pocket, and holdin it up he pointed to Sally Mari's poitry, and, see he, I reck n you must have changed your opinion uv me since that was rit. Now Squizzle hasnt sense enuf to no that half uv what is ritin about folks after they are ded is dun fur effect, and I re told him so; but he takes great credit tu himself, and declares hes a model uv a husband, the salt uv the earth. I wish Sally Mari had left that passage out, fur it has so thum upon his dignity terribly, and Im afraid I shall hev a heap uv trable with him. Goodness gracious knows he was bed enuf before. I reckon I shant put mwelf out uv the wa again to show respect to his memory on uncertainties. It puts me intirely out uv peshence to use how cam he takes things.

Now if Id hev. cum intu a house all dressed in mournin, from the garret to the cellar, I reckon I shouldnt hev put my hands in my pockets and gone smilin and whistlin around as unconsarned as he did. I should consider it a warnin that some him was to foller.

I asked him more than a duzen times where he had bin before I got any kind uv an arnser, and then it warnt civil.

Hed bin about his bisness !

And I reckon sumbody else has bin about thir bisness by the looks uv your fase, sez I. One thing is certain, you didn't git half what you deserve, and the next time you go awa and leave your wife and darker in sich a state uv hourible exnemse, youll git sich a broomstickin when you git hum that youll find it a different matter tu wake up either eye. And if you don't rell me where youve been, and what you hev bin duin, Ill jest give you a touch uv it now.

With that I started fur the broom and Squizzle started fur the door. He would hev got awa if it hadut bin fur Sam, who was jist that minit cuming in and interpoded his progress.

One blow from the broomstick brought him tu, and he skrouched down, and, sez L, if you see, Mugg ns wanted me tu go over tu the Richmond festival. I—I t—I told him I didnt no about it. But h

oe about it.

That word do, sez I; jist go intu particulars. Id like tu ne the meanin uv the word bust?

I give the old broomstick another highet, which put an immegiate stop tu his hesitatency, and he proceeded to kontinue tu go on in this ere wise:

When two, four, six, eight or haf a duzen fellers get together us an evening, and spend part uv the time in playin carfus, drinkin logger bier, brandy smashes and sich kinds of invigoratin kordiels, and finish oph with a free fight, all hands in—that is what we men about-town call a bust. When a feller dont find himself fur a week after, and then don't know himself when he dus at last turn up—thats called a—a—a bender. Now I hope you are satisfied.

When hed finished, he turned around and was on the pint uv makin oph tith himself, but I interposed, and ses I, Squizzle, I have a little somethin tu

with himself, but I interposed, and see I, Squizzle, I have a little somethin tues tuyou on this occasion.

He stopt short and tarned around, and see he, You needed go to blowin me up fur the first bender. Its all the fashion, and, as you often ss. fashion is everything here. Ive got into the first society, and to keep my standing Ive got to foller the fashions.

You needed be quotin fashions to me, see I. I reckon youll keep your settin fur the next six weaks. Benders and busts and sprees is purty things fur a man uv your kloth to get into, I must sa. The next thing to a bender is a States prison; I reckon if it isn't torto be. What would be seed about town, and I want to ask you what you or any body else would think uv me if I made my-self scarce every now and then fur a weak or two, on a bust and bender, as you call em?

Oh, you women have your busts and benders tu home when we are out uv

Oh, you wonten have your the wa, I reckon, set he.

I have ne kind uv an idee which moved the quickest—my tongue or my broomstick; sariain it is that Jabez Squizzle felt the full force uv both, and in the very short space uv no-time-at-all scarcely, he took himself oph out uv the reach uv em.

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Oh, the vile, insinervatin feller, this ere sunken hole uv a city has bin the ruination uv Jabez Josephus Squizzie.

Hed a plagued site better staid up in Konkapot, and dug pertaters and hoed form all his life than tu hev kum down here and kut up, and bended and busted in this ere redickelous wa. If he don't look out, hell get the name uv bein a fast man. Ill give him fair warning that when it kums tu that Ive dun with him.

with him.

Muggins's wife, fur the want uv somethin better tu do, has set her skandalizin old tongue a runnin agin. Ive heard uv the fawlse reports shes bin a spreadin about town. Yes, its all kum back tu me what shes sed about my bein tickeled eny most tu deth when I thort he was ded, and mad as blazes when he kum back.

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Uv all things in the world, tantalizin, skandalizin, backbitin, tattlein women are the very worst, and Im glad I arnt one uv em.

I reckon if I'd had hev wanted tu hev get rid uv Jabez Squizzle. I shouldnt hev took the trouble to hev chared him and Poll Muggins down tu Washington, to hev separated em. I'f hed only hev took a decent woman, I shouldn't hev troubled em; but when I found out hed cleared out with that old turnmygant, I agreed Id put a stop to it.

Anybody that is so nonsensikle as tu listen to that old critters stories, had better ask the doctor. He saw my executiatin sufferins when I heard the sad news that Jabez Squizzle was supposed to be no more; and Im sure no one can dout his voracity; and if they are not satisfied with that, theyd better read Sally Mari's last effusion in the Phizzle, and I reckon that settle the matter.

TOUR IN THE SOUTHERN COUNTIES OF CALIFORNIA.

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I HAD now found by experience that travelling on foot is much harder work than riding, and I therefore brught a mule to share my peregrinations. In addition to its lessening the fatigue, there is a feeling of companionship with a horse or a dog that robs wandering in these dreary regions of half its solitude.

My destination being Monterey, I went by the way of Watsonville, whence I took a short cut over a high table-land, on a point of which is located the rancho of Juan Antonio Vallego. This eminence commands a magnificent view of the country of Santa Cruz and the ocean.

I now took a southerly direction, with the sea on the right of me, and arrived towards evening at the mouth of the Salinas river. Here, to my disappointment, I found the ferry-boat high and dry on the shore, and the ferry-man quite tipsy. He invited me to pass the night in his cabin; and as the sun was setting, and the wind blew cold from the ocean, I accepted his invitation in preference to camping. I found my host to be a Canadian, and was as well entertained as his scanty means would admit. In the morning I was rowed over in a boat, my mule swimming behind us. My path now laid among hills of white sand, into which my mule sank at every step almost to the knees. Indeed, nothing could exceed the wild and barren look of the country.

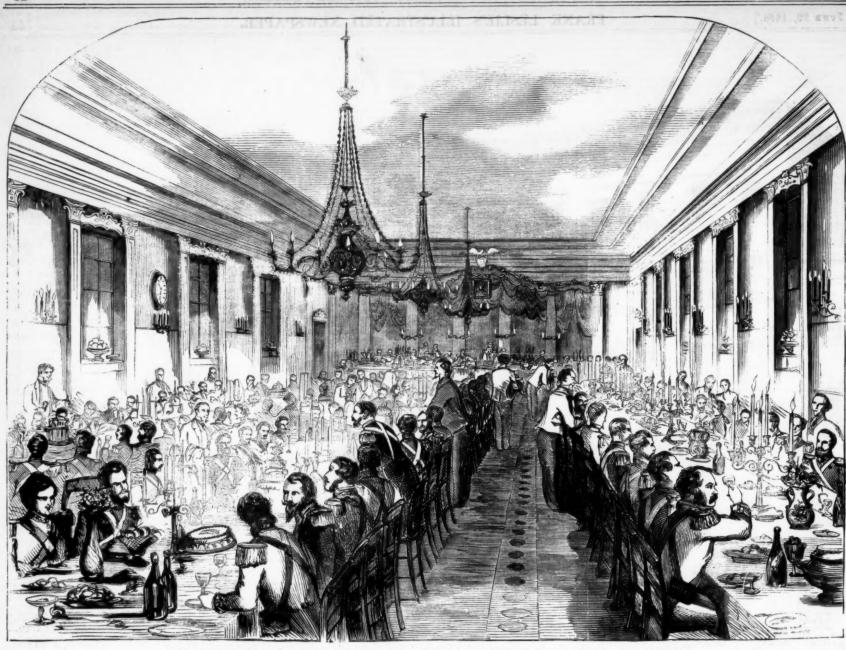
In the afternoon I reached the vicinity of Monterey, when a violent rain storm overtook me, which, despite my hard riding, dreached me through and through before I had reached that city.

I put up at the Washington Hotel, kept by a Sardinian named Triscony, who had made a fertune in a few years by his industry as a tinker. Here I met with Mr. Delano, better known as Old Block, and famous for one of the largest noses in all California. Indeed he seems rather to belong to the nose than the nose to him.

He is also the author of sundry humorous works, called "Chips of the Old Block," which have given him a wide reputation in those parts. There is a spice of romance in his history, which I cannot avoid mentioning, The brilliant but capricious Lola Montez fell in love with his nose, and married him on the strength of it. On the nuptial day the generous woman, in a torrent of admiration, made I now took a southerly direction, with the sea on the right of me,

avoid mentioning, The brilliant but capricious Lola Montez fell in love with his nose, and married him on the strength of it. On the nuptial day the generous woman, in a torrent of admiration, made him a present of fourteen thousand dollars. Never was there a happier man that night than Old Block—the possesser of a fortune, an unrivalled nose and one of the loveliest of women. But alse! the course of true love never did run smooth, and next morning she took the money away from him, and left him to waste his sweetness on the desert air. His nose she could not take, or else no doubt she would. I will not vouch for the truth of this story, but I give it as I heard if from a friend of Old Block's.

Monterey is an old Spanish town, and was the capital of California when the Americans took possession of the country. It was then a flourishing town, but at present is dull and decaying. Its Saxon and Celtic inhabitants now and then try to get up a little excitement, by an impromptu lynching affair, one of which entertainments happened about a week before my arrival. It seems that two Mexicans were suspected of murdering a resident French Jew named Picart, who kept a grocery. The men were arrested and thrown into prison. One sunny morning, in the absence of the sheriff and his deputy, and during the celebration of mass, a body of men, calling themselves a Vigilance Committee, headed by an Irishman named Phillips, and a Belgian named Roerts, broke open the jail and took possession of the prisoners. A beam was quickly brought, a gallows was constructed, and these two wretches, without judge, jury or priest—together with a Frenchman, who was also confined in the prison—were hung up with wonderful celefrity. This ourrage was principally owing to the harangues of a Jewish dentist, who had fied from New York for taking something more than teeth out of his



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customers' possession, and whose hatred of justice almost equalled his abhorrence of pork. When "the fun" was over, these amateur hangmen went quietly home to their respective habitations, leaving the three poor creatures of humanity hanging in the air to astonish the pious Catholics as they came from mass.

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Before my departure from Monterey I paid a visit to the Mission San Carlos, which is located in Carmel's Valley, a few miles from the city. It is now nothing save a heap of ruins, the church alone standing. This is a building with two steeples, and measures about a hundred feet in length and thirty in breadth. The image of the patron saint is riddled with bullets, having been converted by the Americans into a target—our rifdemen being unable to realize they were committing a sacrilege by firing upon a wooden saint. The natives, however, regard the act as a desecration, and still retain their animosity.

This mission was founded in 1770, and is built upon a beautiful spot—just at the union of the sea with a small stream. Here in 1826 the first California potatoes were raised; at that time the mission had eighty-eight thousand head of cattle, eighteen hundred horses, three hundred and sixty-five yoke of oxen, sixty thousand sheep, and forty thousand dollars in coin. These accumulations were taken from the Church, and secularised in 1835.

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The evening before my departure a cold-blooded murder was committed at the hotel. A man named Belcher, living a few miles from Monterey, and bearing an equivocal character, was leaning against the counter in the barroom, facing the door. The night being very warm and moonlight, the door was left open. All of a sudden a man's head protruded from behind a post on the outside, then a hand, armed with a revolver—it was fired, and Belcher fell mortally wounded on the floor of the bar-room. Search was made immediately, but the assassin had escaped. This Belcher was worth eighty thousand dollars, which he eighty thousand dollars, which had acquired in a most dishonest manner; he was also violent and revengeful, and had made so many enemies that he was always accompanied by a band of armed retainers. He had been accused of hiring some bravos to assassinate a man named Roache, against whom he cherished a deadly animosity. Where he was shot he considered himself as surrounded by his friends.

Leaving Monterey. I continued

Leaving Monterey, I continued my journey in a southern direc-tion towards the Mission La Soledad, which is about forty miles my journey in a southern direc-tion towards the Mission La Soledad, which is about forty miles from Monterey. The country through which I travelled was hilly and well wooded, till I arrived at the Toro Rancho, on the banks of the Salinas river. Here I found two roads, both leading to La Soledad. The one running for a considerable distance near the banks of the river, and through extensive forests, I had been ad-vised to avoid, two travellers, Well and Williamson, having been murdered there a few months previous. To gain the other I was compelled to ford the river, then passing a settlement called Salinas, I struck into the extensive level plain, about eighteen miles long and twelve wide, which I found a dreary desert, not a vestige of grass being visible; and having understood that I should find no habitation till very near La Soledad, I feared my poor mule would suffer for want of food, and almost regretted not having taken the other road; for myself I was plentifully provided. There being no alternative, I jogged along, waiting like Micawber for "something to turn up." Unfortunately for me, nothing "turned up" but wind, and such a wind! it blew like a hurricane during the whole day, and I understood this wind frequently continues during the whole summer season with unabated fury; this I could well believe, for scattered over the plain were a few dwarfed oak trees, with branches only on one side, and these all bending towards the south, in which direction the wind usually blows. I nevertheless considered myself fortunate in having the wind behind me, since it must prove much less fatiguing both to myself and mule. While I was riding quietly along, my straw hat was suddenly blown from my head, and rolled along on its brim with incredible speed; expecting that it would shortly fall on the flat side, I delayed pursuit till when it was nearly out of sight; I resolved to give chase, and a ludierous race I had; I galloped for nearly an hour before I overtook the fugitive, and then

I was obliged to speed on in advance, dismount hurriedly, and lay in wait for the hat, which was nearly flying. When I recovered it, I took precaution against the repetition of such a disaster.

Towards punse! I became aware of my alternative, either to camp on this desolate plain, exposed to the inclemencies of the weather, without the means of building a fire for myself or obtaining grass for my mule, or else cross over to the chain of mountains, stretching along to my left. and which were about four or five miles distant.

I chose the latter, and when I arrived at a cañon studded with oak and pine trees it was nearly dark. There was also a small quantity of grass for my mule, which I immediately unsaddled, and then proceeded to build a fire and make some coffee for myself. I was here protected from the wind, and was only apprehensive of a visit from some grizly bears, of which I had perceived many tracks. The night, however, passed tolerably well, and when morning dawned I returned to the road I had left the previous evening, arriving about noon at the Mission La Soledad, which is, at the present time, owned by a native family called Soveraner.

I purchased some barley for my mule, for which I was charged a shilling a pound; it was exorbitant, but I had no alternative.

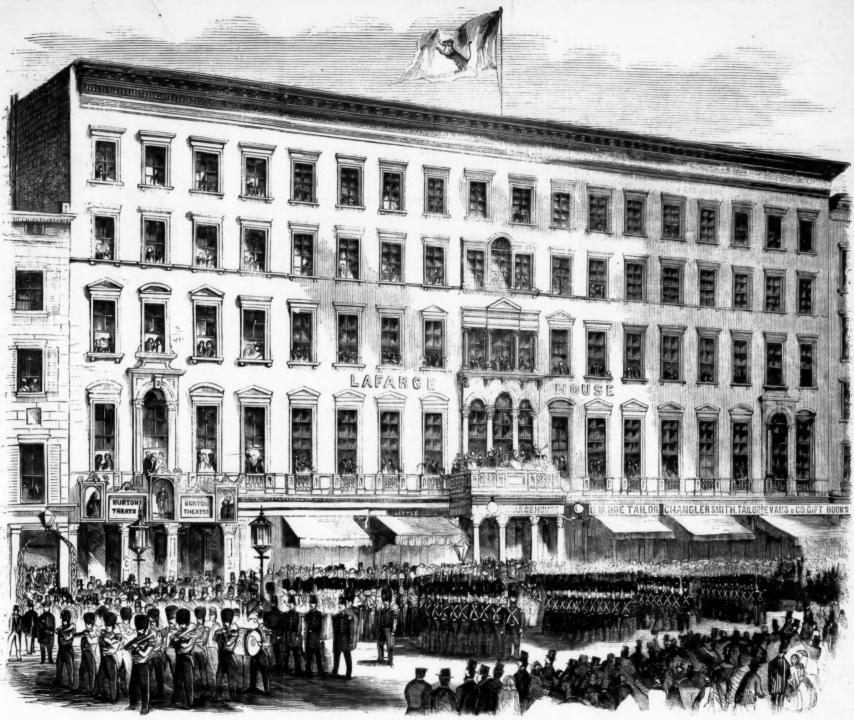
Afflicted with violent headache, I requested a cup of coffee, which, when strong, frequently relieved me, but when handed to me it did not taste or smell like coffee, having been made in the Mexican style, namely, coffee beans very highly burnt and ground to dust, of which a few pinches are boiled for about an hour in a gallon of water. I was unable to drink it, and handed to the young woman who acted as cook a liberal quantity of my own coffee, requesting her to make me a cup with that. She was astonished at my extravagance, and declared the whole family did not use more in a week.

week.

The coffee soon restored me, when I took a sketch of what remains of the mission, which is, however, very little.

The Mission of La Soledad, or, rather, Nuestra Señora de la Soledad, is situated in a plain called El Llano del Rey. The presiding priest was an indefatigable agriculturist. To meet the inconvenience and suffering occasioned by the summer drought, he had constructed, with the assistance of the Indians, an aqueduct extending Indians, an aqueduct extending fifteen miles, by which means he could water twenty thousand acres of land. In 1826 this mission owned about thirty-six thousand head of cattle, and a greater number of cattle. about thirty-six thousand head of cattle, and a greater number of horses than any of the other missions in the country. So great was the fecundity of these animals that they were given away to preserve the pasturage for the cattle and sheep. It had about seventy thousand sheep and three hundred yoke of tame oxen. In 1819 the mayordoms of this mission gathered three thousand four hundred bushels of wheat from thirty-eight bushels sown. Some of these old Missions are supposed to contain much are supposed to contain much buried treasure, and attempts have been made to get at it—as in the case of the ruins of Santa Cruz, a sketch of which accompanies the present chapter.





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GOLD AND GLITTER

THE ADVENTURES OF A BEAUTIFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER VI .- CONTINUED.

"Not so—guess again."
"Not afraid of me, I hope?"

Harley's lip curled with intense scorn. "Afraid of you! I trust caot. But I brought this with me," and he took the pistol from his pocket and laid it on his knees, "to blow your brains out with if I perceived anything like treachery."

Thornton, with a great show of indignation, was about to expostu-

tate, but Harley cut him short, saying, "There, don't talk about it. I do not distrust you, but am always prepared for every extremity, that is all. You suggested that I should visit you here instead of in the city. The place suited me well, but how did I know but that it was not a trap to murder me?"

"I swear to you that ourselves and my wife are the only human theings in the house."

"You are not always alone."

"You are not always alone."
"No; but expecting you to-night I ordered the boys to keep away until after nine."
"That was well, And now to business; I have altered my mind as regards Ralph Forrester. I have seen him; the affair of last night has made him desperate."

"Then you want him put out of the wny at once. I wish I had known it last night, it could have been managed beautiful."

"I wish you would not interrupt me."

"Your pardon, I am dumb but not deaf."

"Remain so until I have finished then. I told you I had altered my mind expanding Palph."

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"Remain so until I have finished then. I told you I had altered my mind regarding Ralph."

"You did."

"You forget you are dumb.'
Thornton bowed his head deprecatingly.

"Instead of degrading him further, I am about to elevate him to a position in society. In the course of a few weeks his sister and himself will be courted and caressed by the best people in New York. The girl shall marry Gerald Marston; he has a small fortune and a great heart, he will labor and attain wealth, so she will be provided for. Ralph can become the husband of an heiress if he choose; he is handsome and intelligent, and I doubt not agreeable, so he will be settled in life. Now for your part in the device; you must swear to me that neither Ralph nor Edith shall ever be troubled by your fearful fraternity, that they shall never be reminded even of the terrible scene that they have gone through. Will you promise me this?"

"I scarcely know what to say, you astonish me to that degree." "Will you swear?"

"Give me time to think, and furthermore I imagine I have a right

confederate of thieves and cut-throats, to day you elevate him to wealth and position; is that what you call revenge?"
"Fool," Harley muttered, looking at the questioner with intense scorn. "For what injury am I to seek vengeance? on which side lies the wrong-doing in my transactions with them? Do you think me idiot enough to strive to convince myself that I have been injured by

thered according to Act of Longress, in the year 1858, by Fa NK LESLIE, in the Clerk's Office of the District Court for the Southern District of New York. | to some explanation. Yesterday you would have made the boy a confederate of the District Court for the Southern District of New York. | to some explanation. Yesterday you would have made the boy a confederate of thieves and cut-throats, to day you elevate him to them, and if they can so manage as to maintain their position after them, and if they can so manage as to maintain their position after they have done my work, so much the hetter. But you do not make the promise I ask."

"I make it on one condition."

"What is that?"

"That neither ever divulges the secrets they have become ac'



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quainted with. Should they betray us, even I could not shield them from death."

"I accept the condition. Recollect this is now a compact; if you

violate it I will crush you without pity."

"And I have you in my power likewise," Mr. Thornton thought,
"and will crush you some day, whether confidence is violated or

"For the present, then, I have no more to say," Harley said; "so, with your leave, will bid you good night."

"You won't go without a glass of something warm?"

"Not if I can help it, I assure you, for the air is very keen."

Mr. Thornton arose, and opening the door called aloud, "Moll, Moll, I say, fetch along the lush."

No reply.
"Curse the woman, she's asleep," he muttered; so he shouted the
ame command, in a voice loud enough to awaken the Seven Sleepers. This time he was more successful.

"What are you making such a d-d patter about?" the amiable spouse asked. "The lush has been ready this half-hour, and if you

want it, why don't you come along and get it?"

With a muttered oath, Mr. Thornton did what so many great men
before him have done, submitted to the controlling influence of his better-half, and in a few moments returned with a jug of steaming whiskey punch, of which agreeable beverage Mr. Harley swallowed two large glassfulls, and then, muffling himself up in his cloak, once more entered his sleigh and drove briskly along towards the city.

CHAPTER VII .- THE COMPACT.

Ir was about nine o'clock at night, and Edith and Ralph, as on the

previous evening, were together in their sorry abode. Edith was pale and nervous, and with her elbow on the table s Edith was pale and nervous, and with her elbow on the table supported her weary, aching head on her delicate and trembling white hand. She had not closed her eyes during all the preceding night, and even now the terrible scene she had gone through drove away all thoughts of repose. Turn where she would, with eyes open or shut, she continually saw her brother pinioned in the grasp of those dark-browed ruffians, and would start and shudder, feeling almost palpably the cold fron pressing her own brow. Every noise alarmed her; every gust of wind, as it moaned down the open chimney or whistled in at the clattering casement, sent the blood back to her head in wild pulsations. Ralph was pacing up and down the room with hasty strides, and ever as he passed his sister her eyes would be raised to his face so lovingly, and her white lips murmured a prayer of thanksgiving that she still had him with her.

"Why don't he come?" Ralph said at length, impatiently. "It must be past nine, is it not?"

"I have not heard the clock strike yet," Edith resumed.

I have not heard the clock strike yet," Edith resumed. "And your watch has stopped, I suppose," Ralph retorted, with a bitter laugh. "Never mind, darling, you shall have watches, and diamonds too; silks and satins, laces and flowers, as well as the best of them; or as sure as there's a heaven above, (and you tell me there surely is one), William Harley shall fill a felon's cell or a sui-

there surely is one), William and Code's grave in less than a week."

"Do not talk so wildly, Ralph; I covet none of these splendors,"

"By we must accept anything from the country, some Edith said in a low, sweet voice. "If we must accept anything from this fearful man, let it be some quiet retreat in the country, some pretty spot far away among the hills and meadows, where we would be a controlled the misories we have endured. forget this great, cruel city and all the miseries we have endured. Oh, Ralph, that would be happiness indeed. You would become strong, your step elastic, your cheek raddy with health, for you would have the garden and field to labor in, the mountain to climb, the lake to skim, and I—I should sing as loud and as gaily as the birds, as I attended to the household duties, prepared our simple meals and watched the forcer grow. Oh we I will capacit that meals, and watched the flowers grow. Oh, yes, I will accept that even from our oppressor."

Ralph paused before his sister, and listened to her until she had

finished. "All very well," he said; "all very well to talk or read about, this rural felicity; but it won't do; I should be crazy in less than six months. No, Edith, here where we have suffered degradation and shame

Not shame, Ralph."

"Well, as you please; I'm not over nice at differences. Here we will live as become us, in luxury and splendor. Do you hear, Edith? We shall have gold, I say; the proud and great will court us, and the poor and hamble sue to us for help. Ha! ha! It will be brave, will it not?"

"Such a life would be but a whited sepulchre."

"Well, what are all lives but whited sepulchres? What are all men and women but walking lies, moving, breathing masses of deceit and hypocrisy. I have lost all faith in humanity."

Edith's blue eyes were full of tears, which welling over coursed

slowly down her sunken cheeks. She did not speak though, only

slowly down her sunken cheeks. She did not speak though, only looked at her brother beseechingly.

"Confound it all!" he said, petulantly, "what a mean, cowardly wretch I am! All I do from morning to night is to make you wretched. Forgive me, Edith dear, I speak without knowing what I

am going to say. I don't wound you intentionally."

He stooped down to kiss away the tears he had caused, and she
put both arms around his neck and held his cheek against hers. Just then a loud rap announced a visitor, and without waiting to be asked Mr. Harley entered. He was a marvel, that man; both Edith and Ralph knew him

through and through, yet before he had been seated fifteen minutes he had engaged them both in pleasant conversation, and all three chatted sociably together of the future.

Harley had assumed his most frank and winning mood; he actually seemed to have brought light and sunshine into that poverty-stricken,

cheerless abode.

You will yet acknowledge that there is some good in me," he said, after they had been talking for some time; "at least I hope so, and am willing to wait. Works, not words, are the great justifiers, and to the present and future the wise look, not to the past."

"If you would only permit us to shun society in place of courting it," Edith said, "then indeed I would be content."

What, shut such beauty out from the world," Harley answered, gaily and gallantly. "Not a bit of it; let the world see, and admire, and revere; believe me, you will say with Cæsar, Veni, vidi, vici." You mack me, sir . I am in every way unfitted for the life would have me lead."

The more reason why you should commence to practise at once then. Remember, too, that you have to look around for a life partner, a search that can scarcely be commenced too young, seeing how

long a time it takes to accomplish it. This was a touchstone, and Mr. Harley watched acutely to see the

Edith looked up quickly, and her face flashed crimson. "What do you take me for," she said almost fiercely, "that you speak thus? Do you suppose that I am base enough to entrap an honest man into marrying me—me, a beggar and an outcast; me, a poor, miscrable wretch, who could not prove to him that I had a right to the name I Though, Heaven be praised, I have that right; I know it, I

He was in a measure prepared for this outbreak, so he merely replied quite caimly, "There, there, don't be angry; everything concerning my dear sister's, your mother's marriage will no doub one day be made clear as daylight."

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"To me it is now as clear as daylight," she answered; "and that it will be equally as clear to the whole world before I die I am as certain as that I stand here; Providence directs all things wisely, and never deserts those whose trust is firm and abiding." She had risen to her feet, and one arm was raised appealingly to Heaven.

I appreciate your feelings," Harley said, drily; "but to return to the subject under discussion, as I understand that you accept my offer."

We do," Ralph answered, hastily, before Edith had time to re-

monstrate; "and you shall see in a week's time such a transforma-tion as was never heard of out of fables."

"I do not doubt your willingness to accede, but I must also have your sister's assurances, may, her promise." He took Edith's hand in his as he spoke, and strive as she would she could not bring herself to submit to his touch, so she withdrew her hand quickly, saying at the same time,

"Give me time to think; my brain is all bewildered now-give

me a day, an hour."
"I told you yesterday that I should require an answer to-night," he said.

"I know it; but I have undergone the misery of years since then.

"The more reason why you should decide at once to place your self and your brother above the reach of such trials.'

"My brother!"

Yes, your brother; if not for your own sake, then for his, yield." Edith, how can you hesitate?" Ralph said in an undertone to his sister. "It is only what is actually our own, love-take, and think of the ecstacy of having at our command money, money, Edith, in unlimited quantities.

"But do you know what he expects in return for this money you so eagerly covet?"

"No. I neither know nor care; once in possession of it, I will

Harley heard those last words, but the only effect they produced upon him was to cause a supercilious smile to play about his lips Ralph never noticed that smile, but Edith did, and shuddered.

Your answer," Harley said, drawing close to Edith

Still she hesitated. He came closer still, and whispered a few words in her ear.

She became white, then marble, the room swam round her, and he was obliged to clutch at her chair for support. This only lasted a minute, though; presently a marble-like rigidity settled down upon her countenance; her limbs seemed to have become as firm as iron; even her voice as she addressed Harley

had undergone a startling change; it was as musical as before, but without tremor, without emotion.

"I accept your offer," she said; "but I warn you to beware of

"I accept your oner," she said; "but I warn you to beware on the consequences of your own acts. Had you left me to my misery, I had ever been to you as one dead; now I am as the dead revived. A great purpose and a great end is before me, William Harley. I will accomplish that purpose, I will attain that goal."

He was startled in spite of himself, at her manner more than by

her words, and he muttered something between his clenched teeth about the "ravings of a silly girl."

She smiled when she caught his words. It was a smile such as had never been seen on her face before, and it troubled the proud

man the more. For the first time in his life he was utterly disconcerted-neither

knew what to do or what to say, for Edith's eyes were riveted upon him, and seemed to read him through and through. Mechanically he took a purse from his pocket, and laid it on the

"That will suffice for immediate wants." he said. "You will hear

from me at length to-morrow."

Still Edith neither moved nor spoke, only kept her eyes fixed upon

"Remember I have your solemn promise," he continued, endea voring to shake off the feeling of embarrassment that had come You have," she answered. "I will make it an oath if you desire

The change was complete now; the trusting, loving, gentle girl was transformed into the stately, noble, wronged and avenging

No, no-I am satisfied."

"Are you sure of that?" He could not answer her. "Are you sure of that?" she reiterated.

Certainly," he said, petulantly; "I have gained my point."
You have the advantage of me there, for I have only just dis covered during the last five minutes the goal that I must reach; I have a long and a weary journey before me; but I will reach it, and then—but no matter—leave me now."

He was glad of the excuse to go, so simply repeating that they could hear from him more at length, he turned and left the room. Edith listened until his footsteps died away, then she clasped her hands quickly over her heart, every sinew that had been so sternly braced seemed unstrung, a terrible numbness seized her limbs, the

"Help, help, my brother!" she gasped rather than said, but be-fore he could reach her she fell prostrate upon the floor. In an instant Ralph was kneeling beside her, listening if he could hear her

CHAPTER VIII .- WHEREIN EDITH MEETS GERALD MARSTON.

In an exquisitely fitted-up boudoir, connected with a suite of rooms of similar elegance in one of the most fashionable hotels in the neighborhood of Union square, a young and lovely lady was sitting, evidently awaiting the arrival of some person. She was dressed in an evening costume, which displayed great good taste and great richness. A flounced robe of delicate chené pink silk, made with short sleeves and low in the neck, fitted faultlessly to a figure of exquisite grace and symmetry; her shoulders were covered, but not hidden, by a pretty lace sylphide; and the masses of golden hair, arranged in plain bands in front, were gathered in beautiful braids behind, and interwoven with trailing flowers of the same hue as her

Her countenance was very beautiful, but white as the purest marble, and her blue eyes, which were cast down and verted by long, soft lashes, had a somewhat mournful expression. Her lips were compressed, and indicated considerable firmness of character, and her small hands were clasped together and rested listlessly on

In this lady, so richly apparelled and surrounded by such luxury you will, perhaps, scarcely recognize Edith Forrester, the once miserable outcast, whose busy needle carned her daily bread. Ye it was no other.

The door that led to her dressing-room opened, and a tidy French maid entered, carrying over her arm a white opera cloak, and in her

hand a rigolette. "Monsieur not come yet?" she asked, looking around with sor

surprise. "Why, madame promised Mr. Harley she would not be later than nine, and it is nine o'clock already." As she spoke the artistic bronze clock on the mantel-piece struck the hour mentioned.

Edith looked up with a slight shrug of her shoulders, and answered,

"Well, Marie, it is not my fault; I cannot go alone."

"Cest vrai, mademoiselle;" and the girl, having deposited the articles she bore upon the sofa, busied herself in giving a finishing touch to her young mistress's hair.

She had not been thus engaged many minutes before the door

opened, and a young man entered. He was dressed in the height of the fashion, but without any vulgar attempt at display, wearing no jewellery save very small gold studs in a snowy cambric shirt bosom, and sleeve buttons of the same unpretentious character. His costume was a full-dress suit of black, with carefully polished calfskin boots. His raven hair was arranged with studied neglige, and his heavy black moustache nearly covered his mouth. Four weeks had effected even a more wonderful change in Ralph than in Edith Forrester. He had said truly to William Harley that he should see such a transformation as was never heard of.

Have I kept you waiting?" he asked. " Not many moments."

"Well, the carriage is ready."

"And so am I," and with these words Edith arose, and permitting Marie to throw her cloak over her shoulders, took the rigolette in her hand, and passing her arm through her brother's said, "Come—

her hand, and passing her arm through her blocked.

"You will take cold, I am sure, mademoiselle," Marie said, in a state of great alarm; "let me arrange your rigolette, I pledge my reputation not a single hair shall be displaced."

"No, no. I am well enough as I am," Edith replied, and in spite of the remonstrance of Marie, hurried down stairs and sprang into the carriage that was waiting.

A drive of a minute or two brought them to Mr. Harley's residence, and in few moments Edith had thrown aside her cloak, and leaning

and in a few moments Edith had thrown aside her cloak, and leaning on her brother's arm, entered the drawing-room. The apartments on her brother's arm, entered the drawing-room. The apartments were brilliantly lighted, but only a few guests were assembled—in fact it was merely a gathering of most intimate friends to pass Christmas eve, and despite their recent mourning, both Hester and Gerald had been undeceived to join the party on the express understanding that no strangers were to be present except Ralph and Edith Forrester, whom Mr. Harley had represented as wealthy relatives of his lately arrived from the South, and to whom he felt it incumbent upon himself to render every courtesy. Mr. Harley advanced to meet the brother and sister as they came in, and presenting them first to Mrs. Harley, proceeded to introduce them personally to the remainder of the party, taking especial care to leave Edith on a sofa, under the charge of Gerald Marston.

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"Miss Forrester is a stranger in New York," he said. "You must initiate her, Gerald, into some of the mysteries of society." Then, with a smile, he hurried away to provide for Ralph, but to his astonishment, he perceived the young man already engaged in earnest conversation

A frown passed quickly over his face, but he said nothing, only exerted himself to the utmost to entertain his guests, and, as was always the case, succeeded admirably.

Immediately on entering the salon Ralph's eyes sought for May

Harley, and almost instantaneously he perceived her glances fixed upon him, as they had been the first time they had ever met. She was seated near her mother, and had been carrying on a lively conversation with Mr. Benson—a middle aged lawyer, who made one of the party—and with whom Gerald had commenced the study of law, to which profession he had determined to devote his energies; but no sooner did she see Ralph than the words died away on her lips, and she scarcely heard the voice of her companion, so he arose and left, and as he did so Forrester, with a low bow, occupied the chair he had vacated, and after exchanging a few common-places with

Mrs. Harley, addressed his conversation to May.

"I believe I may consider that? have had the pleasure of an introduction," he said; "at all events I shall claim that you were included by Mr. Harley when he presented me to his lady."

May looked down with a blush, and was so much embarrassed she

could scarcely speak.
"Have we not met before?" she asked, after the pause of a

"When and where? Surely I could not forget such a pleasure!"
"She was sorely puzzied, and rapidly ran over in her mind the circumstances under which she had first seen him. "It must be the same," she thought; "and yet it cannot be." So she said, aloud, "Excuse me, I must be laboring under a mistake; the striking likeness you bear to a person I once met has deceived me."
"You forgive my audacity, then, in insisting upon an acquaintance."

He spoke in a very low soft voice, and looking earnestly at her all the while. She trembled beneath his glances, but it was with an undefinable feeling of exstacy, a strange joy she had never been conscious of before. From that hour a new existence seemed to open before her, the germ of love had taken root in her young, pure heart.
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"I do not know why you should apologize," she answered, "for a am sure I am much pleased to know you."

"Then I do not regret that our acquaintance was commenced without the formality of a regular introduction," Ralph said. "I shall argue from it a shorfer road to friendsbip."

With ordinary persons May Harley was never at a loss for a reply, no matter what subject was under discussion; but now words failed, and she sat silently toying with her fan, or by merely monosyllabic answers encouraging him to talk on. And he did talk on with all that earnestness of manner, tinged now and then with hitterness and that earnestness of manner, tinged now and then with bitterness and misanthropy, which, if properly applied, is sure to be eagerly drunk in by young and inexperienced maidens. But while May and Ralph have thus commenced an acquaintance which we are to follow step by step, let us turn for a time to Gerald and Edith, whose lives we have also to trace out.

Gerald of course had been at once struck with Edith's singular beauty, and gladly availed himself of the opportunity of drawing her into conversation, and his delight was indeed enhanced when he found her mind stored with wealth no less attractive than the external beauty that had so enchanted him.

Edith for her part had not even raised her eyes to glance at Marston when Mr. Harley presented him, and to his first questions had returned melancholy, civil replies; but when, after a short time, she found herself actually becoming interested in the conversation, she looked up at her companion, and doubtless found him as attractive personally as he had long since discovered her to be. A slight color relieved the marble whiteness of her check, and she passed a pleasanter half hour in his society than she had known for many weary years, and it was with no small degree of gratification

that she cordially granted his earnestly-urged request that he might be permitted to visit her.

"Lucky dog, you," Mr. Harley said to Gerald, when the young man, feeling that he was engrossing more of the fair stranger's time than courtesy permitted, had yielded his place beside her to another and was recessing the room to energy to his course. Hardey, "I backy," and was crossing the room to speak to his cousin Hester. "Lucky dog, you; they say she's worth a hundred thousand."
Gerald smiled and replied, "She's worth a hundred thousand or-

dinary young ladies, if that is what you mean."
"Caught, by Jove!" Harley muttered, as he moved on. "Nevereven nibbled, but swallowed the bait greedily at once. Ah, ha, do I not make shrewd guesses sometimes?" and he rubbed his hands together. His exultation was not without its alloy, though, for still alph remained seated on the sofa talking earnestly to May, and till she listened as if spell-bound.

It was an eventful night that to more than one person of whose

history these pages treat.

CHAPTER IX .-- AN EARLY WALK, AND WHAT CAME OF IT.

Days and weeks passed on, and by the machinations of Williams Harley, no less than through their own inclinations, Gerald Marston and Edith Forrester were thrown much together, and the sentiments which at first partook of admiration and esteem broadened and deepened, on the man's part at least, into love. Gerald had no hope, no ambition now that was not in some manner connected with Edith. He labored assiduously at his studies, because he wished to be able to offer her au honored name; he made all sorts of plans by which to increase the small sum he was to receive on his twenty-first birthday, because he desired money that he might lay it at her feet; and above all, he strove to walk in that path which leads upwards to eternal summer, feeling that he could lay upon the holy shrine of love no more acceptable offering than purity and truth.

And Edith, how was it with her? She dared not ask herself that

question. What had she to do with love? she whose present life was a tissue of deceit—she whose outward seeming form derided her inward wretchedness-she whom reckless fate had forced into a p tion her whole nature revolted from. And above all, how dared she even give one thought to her own happiness so long as a cloud rested upon her mother's name? There was a great mystery for her to solve, a profound and wily hypocrite to be unmasked, a snake in the grass to be trodden under foot before she could give herself up

to the inestimable joy of loving.

It was this feeling, this determination, that for the time being had utterly changed the nature of Edith Forrester; she was no longer the timid, thinking girl, trembling and crouching before her adver-sary, but the haughty, defiant, beautiful woman. Her step had be-come firm, her voice serene and deep, and her entire manner digni-

She had bade William Harley beware lest he should tremble before the spirit he himself had raised; he did tremble, but no one living being knew what was passing in his mind; the surface was as clear

and unruffled as ever.

and unrufiled as ever.

A strong feeling of regard for each other had grown up between Edith and Hester Stanhope. Hester, left alone in the world, sought eagerly for one on whom to lavish her affection, and she had found that person in her new friend. Nor was the feeling at all lessened when her keen eyes perceived how great an interest her cousin Gerald commenced to take in everything relating to Edith. She had indeed loved her cousin with all the fervor of a first deep affection; but she had also felt assured from the first that his feelings towards have were only those of a devoted brother; and she had too much her were only those of a devoted brother; and she had too much strength of mind, too much self-control to continue worship where she knew there was to be no response; so it was actually with a sensation of pleasure that she marked his growing attachment for Edith. She had learned to think of him as of a brother, and where could

she find that brother a more lovely companion for life?

This intimacy between Edith and Hester was by no means displeasing to Mr. Harley; for as Hester had now become an inmate of his house, it served to bring Edith the oftener under his roof, and he so arranged it that she seldom failed when there to en-

counter Gerald Marston. He had another reason now for desiring above all things to effect a union between these two-he longed for the time to come when he a union between these two—ar longed for the lime to come when he could hurl Edith back to beggary—when he might trample her proud spirit in the dust, and hurl her mother's shame in her teeth before her husband's face. So long as she was meek and submissive he had never desired to injure her further than the fulfilment of his own plans necessitated; but now that she rendered him scorn for scorn, met his sarcasms with scathing rejoinders and his threats with sneers, all his worst passions were aroused, and he longed with eager yearning for the opportunity to arrive in which to wreak on her a fearful vengeance. Ralph, too, whom he had atways hated, was now a thorn in his path, which at present he was obliged to leave uncrushed, though it was absolute agony to him to see a man who had once been the companion of thieves and murderers engrossing the attention of his young, innocent daughter, and to perceive that she, too, in place of repelling, seemed to be strangely fascinated by him. Her whole nature seemed to have undergone a change since first meeting him, the gay laugh was no more heard echoing through the house, the light footstep had become slow and heavy, her arms were not flung with an overflow of love about her father's neck, once now to twenty times previously. Only in Ralph's presence did she appear to revive, and even then her happiness was feverish and exhausting—exquisitely thrilling for the holowed by long fits of silent thought.

One morning, after having passed a wakeful night, May arose quite early, and dressing herself, sallied forth for a walk, in order to drive away, if possible, the thoughts that haunted her.

It was a clear, cold morning, and as she walked quickly along, the bracing air brought a fresh bloom to her cheek and a new lustre to her eyes. She had not proceeded a great distance before she noticed two men coming towards her, and the crimson blush that suffused her face indicated plainly who one of them, at least, was

They were close upon her, however, before perceiving her, so that she had a good opportunity to mark Ralph's companion, and that companion being no less a person than our friend, Smi Thornton, it is probable that the opinion of the young lady, then and there

formed, was scarcely a favorable one.

They were engaged discussing some question very warmly, and,

to all appearances, not very amicably, for, as they drew hear, May's cars were shocked by hearing Thornton say, in a loud voice, "I tell you I must and will have money, and if that cursed old hypocritical villain won't give it to ne, you must."

How little she dreamed that the villain alluded to was her own

Just as Ralph was about to reply, he caught sight of May; he changed color slightly, but whispering hurriedly to Thornton, "I will do anything—anything—only give me until to night and leave me

So saying, he turned quickly, and, with a quiet smile, offered his arm to May Harley.

"Ho, he!" Mr. Thornton said, as he noted this proceeding; "lies the wird in that quarter? An unlucky day for Mr. Ralph Forrester when Sim Thornton made the discovery—a new vein to bleed. Ah! ha!? and rubbing his hands together and chuckling audibly, he hurried on and was soon out of sight. Who is that horrible man'?" May asked, as, after first refusing,

she consented to pass her little hand through Ralph's arm; why did he use such harsh words?"

"Did you hear him?"
"Only the last sentence." Ef" It was a matter of no account and would not interest you, May. She looked up quickly and reproachfully in his face.
"Are you angry that I call you May?"

Are you anary that I cate you are to correct it in future."

I nother reproachful look.

I Well, I see you are, and will endeavor to correct it in future."

I Vou know better than that, Ralph."

Why that reproachful glance then?"
You said that what had happened would not interest me.

"And would it ?"

"Is there a necessity to ask that question?"

"No necessity, perhaps."
"Then why do you ask?"
"For the joy of hearing you say that it did have some interest for you."
"If I thought so simple a truth would give you any pleasure i

would repeat it over and over again.'

"That simple truth is dearer to me than a Golconda."

Thus they talked, and thus, while conversing of Thornton's words like a skilful diplomatist, he drew her attention from those words, and she asked no more about them.

You are an early riser. May, to be a Ralph said, adroitly changing the conversation.
"I could not sleep last night, and when I have lain awake nothing

refreshes me so much as an early walk."

"Could not sleep-what happy thoughts kept you awake, for they must have been happy

She blushed crim on, for her thoughts had never reverted fro

him; but she replied. I can scarcely say whether they were happy thoughts or no-

they were melancholy; but sometimes I think that all joy must par-That is a strange thought."

"Is it—have you never felt an oppression of joy so great that it weighed down the buoyancy of spirit, and assumed a sadness which yet was not grief?"

"Yes, I have and do experience a feeling akin to that, but from other causes; it has arisen from a fear that I should never be able to make the bright and beautiful being I loved, so thoroughly aware of the intensity of my adoration as to win even respect for my passion from her." As he spoke these words he drew May very close to him, and she felt his burning, thrilling glance was fixed full upon her. She trembled like a leaf, and her cheek now flushed crimson and

now paled whiter than a lily; her hand was like ice with intense excitement; but, without knowing what she did, she permitted it to

glide along Ralph's arm until it was pressed on his; but she spoke

"Do you understand me?" he said, in a just audible whisper;
"Oh, May! if I thought you did and that this dear hand in mine was the answer, then, indeed, would joy be so great, so ecstatic, that the soul would bow and bend beneath its weight."

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He was skilled in every art by which a woman's heart is reached, and she was young, inexperienced, brimful of poetry and sentiment. Is it to be wondered at that his words thrilled, like most enrapturing music, to her very soul? Is it a marvel that tears started to her eyes and she murmured, in a just audible voice,

"Ralph, can the love of a child like me make you so very happy?"
"Happy, May,my beloved—the ecstasy of a thousand years of

liss is concentrated into this moment."

How he longed to wind his arm about her waist, and press that pure and lovely face to his-how he longed to hold her to his heart and pour the full, burning eloquence of his soul into her ear!—but time and place alike forbade him, and for a few moments both ommuned with their own hearts and were still.

May was the first to speak! Looking around with an almost

frightened expression, she said, Where are we? I had forgotten all about the distance we have

Ralph looked about and smiled. "We are almost out of town," e said; "I did not think we had been together ten minutes."
"I must hurry home, or Hester will have to breakfast alone," May

"It is too late for you to go home; come and breakfast with Edith—we shall just be in time."

She will be so much surprised."

'I promise you it will be a joyful surprise."

"I have a great mind to accept your invitation."
"I beseech you, do."

She hesitated, then yielded, and they retraced their steps towards the hotel where Edith resided.

CHAPTER X .- THE LION BEARDED.

MAY HARLEY was not the only early riser that morning, for very shortly after she left the house for her walk, her father rang his bell and ordered the waiter to bring him a cup of coffee up to his dressing-room, and having partaken thereof, he too set forth on an

It was perhaps as early as half-past eight o'clock that he reached the hotel where Edith Forrester lived, and without waiting to be announced, he walked up stairs and knocked at her parlor door.

It was opened by a waiter who was engaged arranging the break-

Mr. Harley entered. "Miss Forrester has not taken breakfast as yet, I see," he remarked, as he threw himself into a large and com-fortable arm-chair before the glowing fire, and drawing a Morning Herald from his pocket, commenced to run his eye down the col

No, sir, neither Mr. nor Miss Forrester have breakfasted yet,

"No, sir, heiter all, not also the servant answered.

"Well, take Miss Forester my card, and say that I await her,"
Harley said, and then he took up his paper again, but as soon as he found himself alone the journal dropped down upon his knees, and he sat there gazing intently into the grate, as though studying out ome problem in the glowing coals. He was aroused from his reverie by the entrance of Marie

"Mademoiselle will be dressed presently," she said, "and begs you will excuse her for detaining you, but she is unused to such

early calls.

The last clause of the sentence was entirely of Marie's own com-osition; she detested Mr. Harley, and took every apportunity to et him see that she did.

He did not deign to make any reply, and so the maid flounced out

of the room, slamming the door behind her.

Not many minutes elapsed now before Edith came in; she was dressed in a fawn-colored morning dress, trimmed with chencing colored silk, which being open in front, showed an exquisitely wrought skirt underneath. As usual, she was quite pale, but ravishingly beautiful.

"Good morning, Mr. Harley," she said; "you are an early

"Fot too early, I trust," he replied, as he arose and with a low bow motioned her to take the seat he had occupied, while he drew up another chair for himself, thereby intimating that he desired to

make some communication.

"All hours are alike to me," she answered evasively, taking the proffered chair. "Will you ring the bell, please, before you sit She was apparently as cool and indifferent as though she was

speaking to some casual acquaintance. Harley looked at her with much surprise, but obeying her behest,

eated himself near her. She moved her chair a little, so as to bring herself nearly opposite

"Why do you always seek to place a distance between us?" he asked, rather petulantly.
"I like to look in the faces of those I talk with," she replied, and

she let her beautiful eyes rest on his.

"Oh, indeed! Well, I have no objections."

"I am glad of that."

Because I shall not annoy you, then—for I should look into your face while you spoke whether you objected or no."

He ground his teeth, and a torrent of curses almost choked him,

struggling for utterance. He calmed himself, though, by a great effort, and was about to speak when she stopped him.

"A moment," she said. "The bell will be answered instantly; let me give my orders, and then I will listen to you."

A rap at the door, and the waiter came in.

"Do not bring on breakfast until Mr. Forrester comes in," she said..." that is all." The domestic bowed and withdrew.

"Now, Mr. Harley, your business. How cold her words sounded!

He was disconcerted, for he had come on a mission that he knew could breed trouble, but he determined not to let her see it; so he took the poker, which was close at hand, and commenced toving

She threw herself back in her chair, keeping her eyes fixed upon him, but with a listless stare that made him exceedingly uncom-

He broke the silence that was becoming oppressive, by remark-

g, "I believe, Edith, that you esteem young Mr. Marston very highly?

"I estsem all honorable men," she answered, very pointedly.
"But what I mean is, that you have an earnest regard for Gerald, a feeling somewhat different from the respect you say you feel for

"By what right do you ask me such a question." Her voice was m, but as yet exhibited no trace of excitement.
"I am his guardian, and have his interest very much at heart." firm.

"So much at heart, possibly, that you will never allow him to make bimself miserable by becoming the husband of his cousin Hester Stanhope.

Her tone was lower now, but all the more intense, and he felt her yes piercing into his soul. "Did she read his secret there?" he yes piereing into his soul. wondered, or was she but firing random arrows in the hope that a chance one might reach him.

"He has made a solemn vow never to wed his cousin," Harley

said, still toying with the coals in the grate and purposely avoiding

Edith's look; "and what is more to the purpose, has confided to me

Edith listened with suspended breath to his last words, and a thrill of exquisite joy flashed through her heart. She, the poor outcast, was beloved, and that, too, by the man who realized her fondest dreams of glorious manhood. Her lips were parted, and a gleam of

strange delight lingered about her entire countenance.

Harley saw that expression, and triumphed inwardly; his selfcongratulations, however, were short-lived, though, for suddenly the light died out in her eyes, a deadly palor overspread her face; even her lips were hucless, and clasping both hands suddenly and quickly over her heart, she murmured. "Ah, fool, miserable fool that I am to dream even of happiness."
"What are you saying?" Harley asked, eagerly.

She did not answer him; had she spoken then she would have betrayed her secret, and from him she must conceal it for ever and for ever.

Why don't you speak to me?" he said.

Still no answer, only the great eyes raised defiantly.

He could stand it no longer; he sprang up from his seat and approaching her he said, in a voice quivering with suppressed pasapproaching her he said, in a voice quivering with suppressed passion, "Edith Forrester, I have endured your taunts and your insults long enough; do you think I gave you money and position that you might squander the one and hurl defiance at me from the other? No, I needed you, and bought what I needed."

"You did not buy what you needed," Edith cried, her eyes flashing and heart heaving. "I say you did not buy what you needed; you needed a pliant, weak, willing tool to assist you in your infamous designs. Instead of that I have crossed your path, have thwarted

your schemes, stung your pride to the quick, and to end all, will defeat your dearest wish."

"What do you mean?"

"Listen to me and you shall hear. You took me from poverty and wretchedness, and placed me where I am as a bait to entrap young Gerald Marston. You thought to tempt me by the prospect of an honorable marriage, as you call it, to assist you in your project of appropriating Gerald's fortune to yourself. But know that I would lie down in my grave first; know that these hands should plack out my heart first." pluck out my heart first.

"Do you say you will not wed Gerald Marston?"
"I do; I will never be the wife of living man until not a shadow of doubt rests upon my birthright.

"Ah, say you so? Suppose I tell you that I know your mother was wedded honorably to your father."

"You do know it, of that I am certain; but give me the proof, the proof, the proof."
"If I do so will you wed with Gerald Marston?"

"Ah, you hold that proof, then.
"I did not say so."

"But I say so."
"Will you accept Gerald Marston as your husband?"

"What, that you may despoil him, as you have my poor brother and myself, never!" Harley bent down and seized her by the arm so forcibly as to cause

through his cienched teeth, "Do you think I am going to be thwarted by a miserable brat like you? Choose between two alternatives; either become the wife of Gerald Marston or a miserable street

The latter a thousand times first."

A poor, half-starved, half-frozen wretch." Wholly starved, wholly frozen."

"The degraded thing your mother was before you." Up she sprang from her seat like a young tigress as he spoke these last words, and wrenching her arm from his rude grasp, she lowered down upon him with glaring eyes, and in a voice suppressed but terrible, cried, "If I had a weapon your foul tongue should never defile the air with another lie. Monster, begone! foul traducer of a dead sister, insulter of a defenceless orphan, quit my sight; quit my sight, or I know not what I may be tempted to do."

sight, or I know not what I may be tempted to do."

She looked like an inspired Pythoness; glowing with generous resentment, burning beneath the insult she was powerless to avenge. Harley, abashed, moved a step towards the door.

"Do you wonder that the gentle girl is transformed into a very

demon?" she continued. "Man, it is your work; upon your head may God avenge the crime." She advanced upon him with outstretched hands, as though to drive him before her. "Woman, woman," he said, "you do not know what you are doing; at my bidding the assassin's knife can reach you even here in this

"Let it come; I do not dread it so much as I do your presence.

Death in its most fearful form is a thousand times more welcome than life held at your beck and calk." A word from my lips and your brother fills a felon's cell.'

Her hands dropped suddenly, a trembling seized her in every limb. Harley once more had the advantage, and availed himself of it. "Ah," he cried, "do you quail at last? have I still one hold upon ou? Speak, will you marry Gerald Marston?" She drew back from him with averted face, shuddering, but before

she could reply the door was thrown suddenly open, and Ralph entered, leading in May Harley.

Edith uttered a faint cry of relief, and dashing forward threw herself in her brother's arms, but she was brought to herself by a low whisper from Harley. "Beware," he muttered, "we are not alone." Then for the first time she became aware of May's presence, and stretching forth her hand welcomed her.

"Why, May, you are out visiting early this morning!" Harley remarked, in his usual unrufiled tone. "Mamma should not let you run away at such unreasonable hours." "It is so pleasant to walk in the early morning, papa," May said, coloring slightly, and looking studiously down upon the carpet

looked into the breakfast-room, and saw that you had had your coffee, so thought you would not miss me."

"How can I help missing my darling, if I fail to receive my morning kiss," he whispered, as he drew her to one side, and pressed his lips to her beautiful brow. "Will you come home with me now."

"I have promised to take breakfast with Mr. and Miss Forrester,"

she answered hesitatingly.

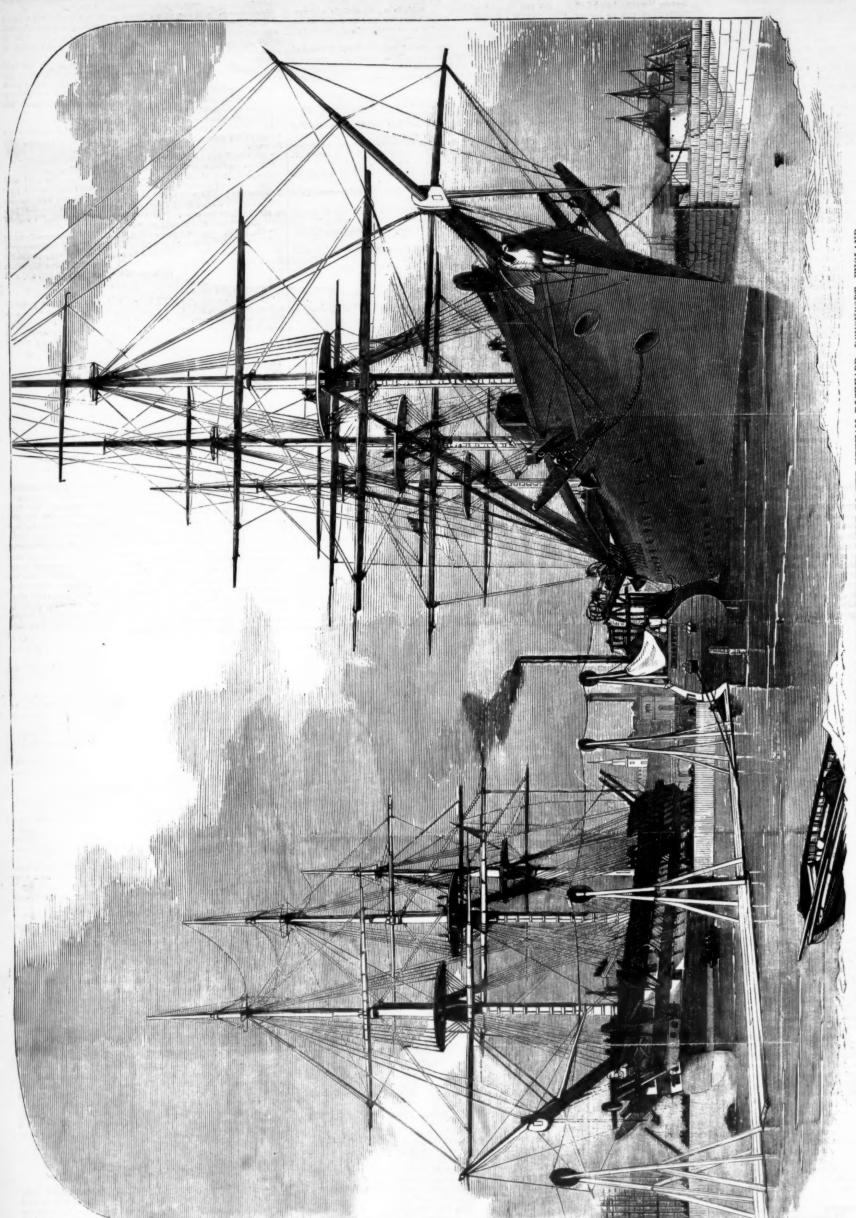
"Oh, very well, don't let me interfere, then," and though his words were pleasant, there was at his heart a torrent of rage, that broke forth in fearful imprecations as soon as he found himself alone in the

streets again. "Will she dare oppose me to the last?" he muttered, as he strode "Will she dare oppose me to the last?" he muttered, as he strode along. "Are all my plans thus to be dashed to the earth? My curses on the obstinate hussy!" Then an idea flashed upon him. "Hester," he thought; "she would sacrifice life itself to make Gerald happy. I will confide all to her; she shall plead with her rival. But it must be done at once, not a moment is to be lost, for young, impetuous, with Gerald to love is to declare his love. Yes, not a moment were believed." moment must be lost!" So redoubling his pace, he hastened onward towards his home.

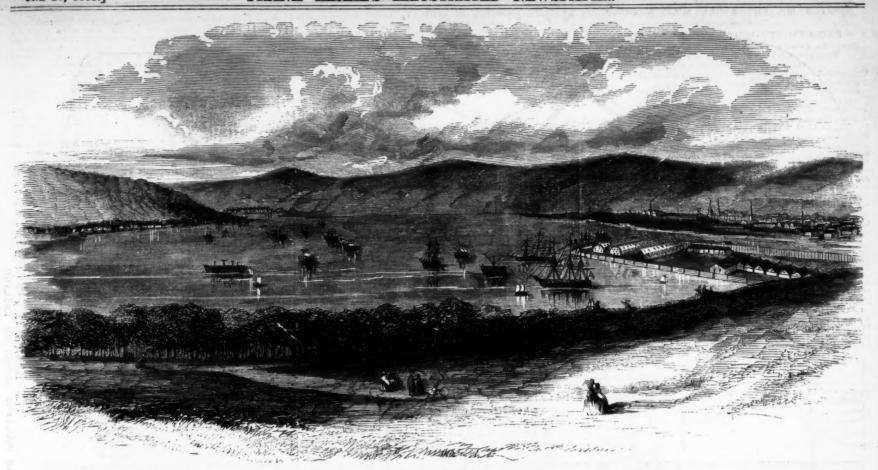
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Origin of April Fool.

If credit may be reposed in the Public Advertiser for April 13th, 1769, the "wrinkle" sprung from a Hebrew root. "It is said to have begun," says the print in question, "from the mistake of Nosh sending the dove out of the Ark before the water had abated, on the first day of the month, among the Hebrews, which an-wers to our first of April. To perpetuate the memory of this deliverance, it was thought proper, whoever forgot so remarkable a circumstance, to punish them by sending them upon some sleeveless errand, similar to that ineffectual message upon which the bird was sent by the Patriarch."



THE NIAGARA ANT THE AGAMEMNON TAKING IN THE LAST OF THE TELEGRAPHIC CABLE IN THE KEYHAM DOCKYARD, DEVONPORT, ENGLAND.



HARBOR OF DEVONPORT (ENGLAND) AND KEYHAM DOCKYARD. THE NIAGARA AND AGAMEMNON TAKING THE LAST INSTALMENT OF THE TELEGRAPHIC CABLE ON BOARD. TAKEN FROM MOUNT WISE. FROM A SKETCH BY OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

LAYING THE TELEGRAPH CABLE.

The Atlantic telegraph squadron, consisting of the Niagara and of three British vessels-of-war, left the British coast for their important voyage on the 5th of June, and by the time of our publication the problem of a sub-Atlantic cable will doubtless have been solved. Our large engraving represents the two principal vessels as they lay during the month of May in Keyham Dockyard, affording a fine opportunity for comparing the two magnificent steamers. The British Agamemnon is of a totally different build from the Niagara, but is exclusively designed for a ship-of-war, and is capable of lictle more than twelve knots an hour under steam; while the Niagara could probably steam fourteen, but is worthless for warlike purposes. Her great length, while it gives her velocity, renders her unwieldy to the highest deep, and every imaginable method of splicing, hauling, &c., was fully tried. Although the cable had been injured in the process

use of the dockyard at night, and our own correspondent forwards us a striking sketch of their amusements after the labors of the day. The stern red coated sentry and the shiny-hatted policeman look on with evident amusement at the varied sports of their nautical cousins, while an American marine paces up and down outside, to prevent the unauthorized egress of any of the salts. A companion sketch represents the Harbor of Devonport and Keyham Dockyard.

Peoriumly to the final sailing of the squadron an experimental

of recovery, and was therefore expected to give much trouble, the machinery was so admirably contrived that not a "kink" took place, and it may therefore be reasonably expected that the perfect cable will be laid without difficulty, provided the vessels are overtaken by no inconvenient gales. The fortnight succeeding the 5th of June, however, has been ascertained by the experience of many years to be the calmest of the year, and as the vessels will commence their operations this time from the middle of the Atlantic, they will of course be exposed for only about seven days to dangers from the elements. Having reached a given point in the ocean, the two ends of the cable will be spliced, when the Niagara will steam away towards Newfoundland, and the Agamemnon to Valentia Bay on the Irish coast. If all gives well, we shall shortly be receiving the news from Europe several hours before the events actually occur, as the electric fluid will beat the sun by at least five hours in its circuit.



SCENE IN KETHAM DOCKYARD. THE CREW OF THE E. S. STRAMSHIP NIAGARA AMUSING THEMSELVES AFTER THE LABORS OF THE BAT. FROM A SECTION DWN CORRESPONDED

ROUTES OF THE SWILL MILK WAGONS.

FROM THIRTY-NINTH STREET STABLES. Route No. 76.—June 16, Eame on Wagon, E. Farley, 373 Twenty-sixth atreet, on each alde of the Wagon, Westchester County Milk Express.

Twenty-eight street, 284, one can, milk depot
Ninth avenue, 244
Twenty-seventh street, 125
When the man was a seventh street, 125
When the man was a seventh street, 286, one can, boarding-house

When the man who was driving the wagon found out I was following him, he drove back to Thirty-ninth street distillery and took another man into the wagon with him; they then drove down to 506 Greenwich street, where they left one can. One of the men then went into the touse and got a party of men, who waited in the hall till I drove by; was driving by they rushed out and dragged me off my horse. I managed to get away and run into a shoe store, 513 Greenwich street; they followed me into the store and beat me severely; after beating me they left the store. As soon as I could recover myself I pulled out my revolver and fired one shot after them; at that moment a policeman came up and asked me what was the matter; I told him; when he arrested one of them, who was taken before Judge Quackenbush, who discharged him.

Route No. 77.—June 17, Name on Wagon, J. Extance, 305
Thirty-clighth street.

Hudson street, 310, 393, 21, 23
Twenty-seventh street, between Thompson street, 98, 105
Tenth and Eleventh avenues, St John's place, 13, 15
no number
Perry street, 157
Charles street, 161
Greenwich street, 454, 662
Watt street, 99
Washington street, 389
Hubert street, 17
Laight street, 56

Rame on Wagon, J. Extance, 305
Grand street, 14, 194, 25
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White street, 6
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FROM SIXTEENTH STREET DISTILLERY. Route No. 78.—June 18, Name on Wagon, G. W. Timm, On sides of Wagon, Westchester County Milk.

De Kay row, 17, 18
Fourth street, 36, 101
Waverley place, 133
Downing street, 22
Spring street, 182

Grand street, 69
Broome street, 452, 459, doctor
Marion street, 10
Mulberry street, 171

Route No. 79 .- June 19, Name on Wagon, M. Doyle, 66 Tenth

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Thirty-second street, 250
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Route No. 80 .- June 20, Name on Wagon, Coyne.

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Mulberry street, 236, 238, 240, 243 Pearl street, 189
Spring street, 35
Roosevelt street, 4, 7, 9 Oak street, 22

Sixth avenue, 242 Third avenue, 102, 81 East Eleventh street, 42 East Ninth street, 158, 17 East Eighth street, 82 East Seventeenth street, 102 Avenue A, 89

Route No. 81,-June 21, Name on Wagon, Thomas, Sixth street, 90, 96, 62, 70 Fifth street, 72 Fourth street, 458, 447, 443 Third street, 48 Second street, 45, 48, 5 Second avenue, 32, 33

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Centre street, 19, 21
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The Lafarge House and the Boston Tigers.

THAT the Committee of Reception should have chosen the Lafarge House as the home of their guests, the Bo-ton Light Infantry, during their stay in New York, speaks highly for the capacities of the house, and also for the general excellence of its envertainment. The Lafarge House is, in fact, an A No. 1 hotel. rapidly in the estimation of the travelling public since it has been under the proprietorship and charge of Mr. Henry Wheeler, It is not only one of the most commodious and most elegant of our city hotels, but it is one of the cleanest, coolest and most truly comfortable. It is a superb structure, and will accommodate some three hundred guests luxuriously, and might pack away two or three hundred more on an emergency. As we have said elsewhere, Mr. Wheeler entertained the Boston Light Infantry regally, and thereby fully sustained the high reputation of the Lafarge House.

A Little too Candid.—The American people have one virtue in excep-it is candor. Nothing please them so much as running down their own coun-try—discong the sactors. In the Senate, the other day, the following little year-sage of candor except; we hope the rivals felt all the better acter it. Mr. Senator Toumbs said.

"We speak of the corruptions of Mexico, of Spain, of France and of other governments, with a great deal of truth, according to all accounts, but from my experience and observation, which have been somewhat extensive, I do not believe to-day there is as corrupt a government under the heavens as that of these Britad States."

Several other Senators-I agree to that.

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FRANK LESLIE'S ILLUSTRATED NEWSPAPER.

NEW YORK, JUNE 26, 1858

Our Exposure of the Swill Milk Trade-The Committee of the Board of Health.

Before the issue of our current number, it is more than probable that the Committee appointed by the Board of Health will have decided the case as far as they have the power, and have presented their report to that body. We shall therefore abstain from any remark upon the subject at this tim, but shall keep our columns open, so that our readers may learn the result at the earliest possible moment.

We subjoin the proceedings of the last Committee meeting, reported for the New York Tribune, calling the attention of our readers to the positive and overwhelming evidence of the justice of our position, and the triumphant manner in which every assertion we have made has been sustained by credible witnesses and unimpeachable testimony.

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Mr. Tucker said—Mr. Leslie, the Committee are now ready to hear anything you have to offer.

Mr. Leslie—Yesterday I gave the names of about a dozen witnesses to be subpenaed, and I see only two or three of them here; however, we have some of them present and are ready to go on.

Aldern Berghaus—Reside in Jersey; have visited Husted's and Wilson's distillery stables, and was perfectly astonished at the filth and nastiness of these places; the stump-tails of the animals were a new feature; never saw any stump-tailed cows before; some of the walls of the building were besmeared with manure; the air was filled with a horrid stench; the ventilation is insufficient, especially in the hot weather; am well acquainted with the proper mode of keeping cattle; some of the cows at first sight appeared tolerably healthy, but on looking close I became convinced, from the oull eyes and from other appearances, that they were sick; this was also shown by the spasmodic, short breathing, and from the convulsive moving of the fianks; the signs of sickness in cows are few, but I found all these symptoms and signs present; saw nothing but swill given to these cows in the course of all my visits, until after the exposure in the paper, when on one occasion I saw some kay given; have visited the Sixteenth street stables since the exposure in Mr. Leslie's paper, and the condition as to cleanliness is much better than before; they have been somewhat cleaned up since my first visit; some of the stables have been cleaned somewhat—that is, if such a course of doing business can be called cleaning; when I went with the Committee the stables were cleaner than at any time before; saw a cow in the Sixteenth street stable with a sore on the udder; also saw a running sore on the hip of one of the cows in the Sixteenth street stable was kept by one Martin Williams; went to this stable on several occasions, once with a party from the City Inspector's offic

CRAMER VERNAM, Brooklyn-Visited Johnson's stables, in Sixteenth street, some years ago; went up there on business; saw many cows there; a few (from five to ten) were in an adjoining vacant lot; saw a cow in the lot with a man on each side of her holding her up, and another man milking her; they were milking the cow into a pail; can't swear that the cow belonged to Mr. Johnson.

David R. Hutchison—Used to live near the Sixteenth street stables, and have visited them; there was much prejudice against them a number of years ago on account of the smell, and meetings of the neighbors were held to petition the Common Council to abate the nuisance; have seen a discased cow milked in that stable; she had a diseased udder; she had a running sore, and the corruption from the sore was running into the pail; this I saw; never saw any cows held up to be milked; in those days the proprietors always expected our visits, and prepared and cleaned up the stables for us; saw the sick cow I mention once when I went alone; there was much excitement about the matter then, and the stables were kept in very good order in anticipation of visits; the smell was considered by the neighbors as very unhealthy, and it was exceedingly unpleasant; DAVID R. HUTCHISON-Used to live near the Sixteenth stree the neighbors as very unhealthy, and it was exceedingly unpleasant; the cow with the sore udder appeared in a tolerably good condition otherwise, so far as I could see, though I am not a judge of cows; lived at that time at No. 231 Fourteenth street, between Eighth and Night average.

JAMES ODELL, Fifty-first street-Saw a number of poor cows JAMES ODELL, Fifty-first street—Saw a number of poor cows driven from the Sixteenth street, tables a few weeks ago; do not prefer swill-fed beef to stall-fed; have seen beef from swill stables that I would not eat; have been in the swill stables often; have seen swill-fed cattle that looked tolerably well; have been a butcher thirty-two years, and have often killed swill-fed cattle; some of the beef is good, but some of it is very bad; the swill stable cows sometimes compare favorably with equatry-fed cattle, but not if they were fed entirely on swill: have been in swill stables probably a thousand times, and have seen the cows sometimes fed hay and sometimes meal—indian meal and oil meal; the drove of cows I saw, which I supposed came from the Sixteenth street stables, looked, some of them, very weak and sick. them, very weak and sick.

WARREN LELAND. Metropolitan Hotel—Country cows are not kept in the stables as the swill cows are; I have a farm; I keep forty-six cows; they are kept in the pasture in the day and the stable it night; never lost any of them by the cow distemper; never knew anybody in the country to shut up cows all the time; my cows are turned out every day in the year; the milk I use exclusively for my own hotel, the Metropolitan.

JOHN N. GENIN—Resided for nine years near the Sixteenth street distillery; have often visited the stables; have often taken my friends there to show them as a curiosity the stables; consider them perfectly filthy; had always to close the windows in my house when the wind blew from the stables, the stench was so offensive; have seen cows there afflicted with, I should have supposed, every variety of disease; the cows looked no more like the country cows than a sick man in the hospital looks like a healthy man; lived there at the time of the last fire in the stables; have been through the stalls a hundred different times; the cows appeared as sick as if they would die if you blew them with a good hard breatt; have seen cows there with sores on them; have seen them with short tails; consider that there is no question about their unhealthiness, and the thing that puzzles me now is, that a business man should be made to leave his business to testify on a subject that must be so perfectly plain and transparent to every one.

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Here Mr. Leslie submitted the subjoined affidavit:

Mr. E. A. LEROY, of No. 91 East Twelfth street, swears to the

About the middle of May, 1858, I became aware that my family was supplied with milk by a man of the name of Lyster, who, according to Frank Lesial's Lillermarker Passin, supplied his customers with swill milk. Lyster was spoken to, and refused to give any information as to the quality of his milk. My child, eighteen months old, living almost entirely on milk, as soon as the warm weather commenced was taken with a violent diarrhose, which kept increasing, and refused to yield to ordinary remedies. Upon discovering the fact that I was supplied with swill milk, I gave directions that no more milk should be given to the child, and from that moment the diarrhose ceased, and the child got well. In my own mind, and in that of the doctor who was in attendance, there was no doubt of the fact that the sickness was caused by the quality of the milk, taken in connection with the change in the atmosphere.

E. A. LEROY, Jr., No. 91 East Twelfth street.

Sworn to on the 14th day of June, before J. B. Wakeman, Commissioner of Deeds, No 59 Fulton street.

A similar affidavit, sworn to by Mrs. S. B. Shindles, respecting a child of hers, was also handed in by Mr. Leslie.

Alderman Tucker then announced that the Committee would receive and consider any affidavits that Mr. Leslie might choose to hand in.

Mr. Libilia then expressed a desire to ask one or two questions of Mr. Smith, the Superintendent of Mr. Johnson's swillery.

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Mr. Leslie then asked if it was true that the family of Mr. Johnson and his own family were supplied with milk from a private cow, kept away from the distillery, and fed on grain, hay and other proper food that the distillery cows do not get?

Mr. SMITH replied—About one year ago or more, Mr. Johnson distillery cows to the horse stable and have a man attend to it, and bring the milk to his house, and it was done, and for a short time the same milk was also brought to my house.

Alderman TUOMEY then declared the Committee adjourned sine

die. The report will probably be made at the next regular meeting of the Board of Health.

American Outrages.

EVERY now and then the proceedings of our authorities painfully remind us how entirely at their caprice are our rights and privileges as freemen. For perfect disregard of constitutional law and personal rights we are on a par with Turkey fifty years ago, and France and Naples at this moment. Indeed, it would not be going too far to say, that in no country is there less security for liberty and property than in our great and glorious city of New York. No man, however upright, can rise in the morning perfectly sure that he will be allowed to receive his letters, or that he may not sleep in the Tombs without any fault on his part; for some officious Mayor may choose to seize his correspondence and answer it himself; or he may unfortunately witness a murder, burglary or petty larceny, and be locked up to give testimony on a trial that may never take place; or, if it does, be tried over and over again till the witnesses are worried into their graves. There are instances of murderers being at large on bail while the unhappy witnesses are confined in a felon's cell.

We are as anxious as any one to put an end to all bogus schemes, lotteries and gift enterprises; but we must not allow even the laudable attempt to suppress these evils to be made the excuse for an infinitely greater outrage upon our citizens one which may form the precedent for a system which will practically abolish all personal liberty.

We will suppose that some mean fellow has a hatred against We will suppose that some mean fellow has a hatred against another man who is in business. He informs the Mayor of his suspicions that Jones is carrying on an equivocal correspondence. The curious official rushes to Mr. Fowler, who, forgetful of his duty to the public, hands over the letters which have been entrusted to the honor of the country, for a certain consideration, to deliver to their rightful owner, the party to whom they are addressed. We conceive that it is a breach of law, morals and our constitution to give any one letters intended for another. Jones goes to the Mayor and tells him that he has reason to believe that Smith is carrying on a wholesale correspondence with grass widows, for the purpose of swindling them out of their grass widows, for the purpose of swindling them out of their virtue by a pretended matrimonial scale. Smith's letters are, therefore, handed over to a man who has no more right to commit such an outrage on the inviolability of correspondence than he has to pick Smith's pocket of his purse and watch!

Sir James Graham rendered himself infamous for ever for merely opening Mazzini's letters, and taking a copy of some of them; he never dared, however, to stop them or to hand them over to any one else. He dared not venture on such lengths, although his informant was a king and the victim of his curiosity a poor exile! We all know that although Englishmen hate revolution, anarchy and assassination as much as any men living, and Mazzini was playing that grand gift scheme when his letters were subject to espionage, yet this outrage roused Great Britain from one end to the other, and the letter-prying rescal was driven from power, and there is no public man more ocious even now that he is no consequence of that destreadly attempt.

than he is in consequence of that dastardly attempt.

We feel sure that, great as the evil is of these gift schemes, the remedy invented by Mayor Tiemann is infinitely worse than the disease, and that if the public allow their personal rights to thus openly violated at the option of an irresponsible authority, there is no knowing what the end may be.

The Post Office is an institution which, under all circumstances, ould be held sacred, and upon no pretence whatever ought the etters addressed to one citizen to be handed over to another, even

though that person were the President himself.

If this method is the only one at present calculated to suppress these lotteries and bogus affairs, let some law be made to the exigency, but we protest against this tampering with that sacred institution, the Post Office. We want no Sir James

What the Lawyers are Doing for Justice.

WE are old-fashioned enough to believe that the ancient lawframers contemplated in their labors the protection of the innocent and the punishment of the guilty. This was the insention of laws and enactments in old-fashioned times, but we moderns, the advanced wisdom of an advanced age, take a different view of the purposes for which laws are made. We very justly consider that the guilty man has necessarily a very poor chance for defence, while the innocent, strong in the right, with justice on his side, is a vast deal too secure for the practical purposes of Therefore, we—that is, our lawyers—construe all laws the law. as means for confounding the innocent and protecting the guilty. It is a patent fact that witnesses for the prosecution are the parties who are really on trial, and not the defendant. Our lawyers are the great philanthropists of the age. What benevolence can equal that of our District Attorneys, who with thousands of criminal cases which their public duty calls them to prosecute, prefer, from motives of Godlike charity, to let the indictments slide out of memory and the criminals escape, while they themselves attend to their own private lucrative professions. These

But in the Hon. Mr. Ashmead the criminal finds a still more active and benevolent friend. He holds out the hope, if not the certainty, of perfect immunity to the highest criminals. Through his benevolent researches the murderer finds a haven of security. his benevolent researches the murderer hads a haven of security. It matters not how hardened and bloody a villain he may be; it matters not that he may have been tried before a jury, found guilty by them, and condemned by the Judge to death; Mr. Ashmead has hunted up an old law that enables the condemned criminal to demand a new trisl—which means the gaining of time to frustrate the ends of justice. It must be remembered that the defendant has everything to gain, the prosecutor nothing. Time gained insures public apathy to the case, careless security to the prosecution; while to the defendant it is life, by entrapping witnesses, packing jury-boxes, and the thousand means of c influence that large cities offer, and time puts into the hands of unscrupulous advocates.

This new immunity for evildoers is a precedent so dangerous,

that we can only contemplate it with terror. Crime has run riot in our midst in the broad daylight, and though our civil authorities are too weak, corrupt and inefficient to prevent it, we have had the remote and faint consolation that it could be punished if conviction ensued, and the Governor did not step in between justice and the criminal. But under the new state of things, while we cannot hope that fewer atrocious crimes will be committed in our citics, we see 10 possibility of punishment following the act.

The protection of the law has become a farce—the prostitution of its dispensers is becoming a by-word. If some radical change is not soon effected, criminals only will seek the aid of the law, conscious that in it they will find a sure refuge from punishment and a sanctuary for villainy.

The Administration of Criminal Law.

THE first step in the decline of a nation is the corruption of its judiciary and the denial of justice to poverty; the most oppressive of tyrannies is a corrupt police. If these propositions be true and who will deny them :- then we, as a nation, must begin to date our decadence.

We assert, without fear of denial, that no European people under the most absolute monarchy suffers so galling a tyranny as we, free and independent, submit to at the hands of our police and ministers of the law. It is a common admission on every side that law and justice are not synonymous; it is an openly expressed fact, which every lawyer will admit, that no reliance can be placed on juries, and that each counsel has his favorite judge, before whom he will always bring his case when within the bounds of possibility. An honest lawyer will tell his client not to enter a suit against some particular party. "He has too much money for you;" or, in other words, he can buy up the court. When do we ever hear of a violator of criminal law punished while he is the possessor of money? We can point to numberless instances in our midst. It is the new hand in crime, or the guiltless, who are punished. We say the guiltless, for under our system the accusation is equally as bad to the innocent as to the guilty; the arrest, the examination, the publication are the same in both, and unless by a special appeal to the newspapers, no refutation of a false charge ever meets the public eye.

The old and practiced rogue is known personally to what is called the Detective Police, said branch of the service being a body of men apparently chosen for their stupidity and utter absence of all the qualifications necessary to their profession. They of a necessity must become acquainted with the personnel of all professional rogues; they meet them in the streets, gossip with them, drink with them, joke with them, and chaff them about "that last little affair," and kindly warn them not to do business too openly. In spite of warnings, one of the gentry does do business a little too openly, and the result is that his friend the detective is obliged, in self-defence, to arrest him. No sooner is this the case than the hive is in a buzz; there is no lack of sympathizers, no lack of officials standing ready to let his pa's know the situation of their friend. The professional rogue is rarely deserted by his brethren; he is perhaps too valuable a man to be easily surrendered, or knows too much of them that they should dare risk desertion. The result is that counsel is procured-no Tombs shysters, but the best man to be had for money; bail is brought, and the gentleman is again at liberty, after, perhaps, a detention of six or eight hours. After this the course is clear: the complainant must be bought or bullied off; the Grand Jury must be managed; anything must be done rather than come to trial—the last step being to forfeit bail, and air his reputation for a few months, until the affair blows over. This, however, is not the gentleman's object. He does not wish to leave the locality; all his business associations are here. The mere forfeiture of the mi ms ousmess associations are here. The mere forfeiture of the bail is nothing. Who ever heard of a bail-bond forfeited prosecuted to recovery? If only one-tenth met with this end, the criminal court coffers would swell with countless wealth. All regular rogues know that entering bail is equivalent to a settlement of the charge. It is the new rogue or the poor rogue who suffers—he who is pulled for stealing a few dollars, and locked up suffers—ne who is putted for stealing a rew dollars, and locked up at sight until it suits the complainant to come forward. Bail is impossible; the poor rogue therefore goes below until it pleases the powers that be to bring him up for trial. There is nobody to make inquiry for the poor rogue. After a lapse of two or perhaps three months, he is arraigned, and if the complainant has not forgotten—or, what is more unlikely, softened in this time—the poor rogue is packed to penitentiary or State prison without purch delay. Severa him right for heigh roger. without much delay. Serves him right for being poor.
It was such administration of justice as this which brought

about the French Revolution. It is the corrupt administration of justice which invariably ushers in bloodshed. Let us not be arregant in our prosperity, and refuse to take counsel by the example held up to us by other nations. Because abuses are within our reach by the ballot-box, it does not follow that they will be corrected. This is one that must be reached, and that speedily, whether it be by ballot or bludgeon. We believe that our people have had quite enough of the manity of corrept magistra'es and bound of Sidle and it is the inner to see the correct magistra'es and bought officials, and if justice is not accorded them, in some moment of popular fury and indignation they will, by the strong arm, sweep out these Augean stables, and attempt by a direct means the administration of justice honestly.

Editorial Gossip.

JUNE has conducted herself in a manner so entirely unbecoming her name and her position in the calendar, that we are disgusted with her beyond measure. She is young, we are aware that she is young; but if she did not know how to behave herself with propriety, why not ask the advice of 1857 Christian Junes which have preceded her! Perhaps she is like most young peeple, toe proud and self-reliant; but if she knew how her reputation suffers by comparison, or how contemptuously she is mentioned in consequence of her moody, cloudy, capricious conduct, she would regret not having taken friendly advice in time. She is the "leafy dar-ling" of the poets; and although she is this moment looking over our shoulder with a sunny smile, chequered by a flickering frown, half chiding us for our ungallant condemnation, we are obstihalf chiding us for our ungaliant condemnation, we are continuate, and must say that Miss June has been a very naughty girl, and will have to take home quite a number of black marks. We will not attempt to recount how many pleasant gatherings she has broken up, how many excursions nipped in the bud, but we will say that her reception of our honored guests, the Boston Light Infantry, was shameful, positively shameful—crying all day long, and still crying, and nover using a bit of a pocket handkerchief to dry up her tears before they fell to the ground. O June, June, you'll have to change your conduct greatly before you can be reinstated s the poets' "leafy darling."

There was a pleasant and enthusiastic gathering of military nota bilities at the armory of the City Guard on Broadway, on Monday evening, June the 14th. The occasion was the fiftieth anniversary of the formation of our pet volunteer company, which was then known as the Pulaski Guard. After a very bountiful cheer, and a fair sprinkling of that inspiring elixir champagne, the regular toasts followed, to one of which Mr. Alexander Henriquez, upon whom was conferred the distinguished honor of being the orator of the evening, replied in a very animated and eloquent speech, in which he gave a detailed and most interesting history of the company during the whole period of its existence, from its formation fifty years ago until it incorporated with the Pulaski Guards a small years ago until it incorporated with the Pulaski Guards a small body called the City Guard, and adopted its name, up to the present, when it presents a brilliant instance of success, accomplished by brotherly union, strong will and ungrudging liberality. Mr. Henriquez's address was really eloquent, and was received by the large party assembled with the most vociferous cheering and hearty and enthusiastic applause. Many tributes of love and respect were paid to the memory of their former commander, Captain McArdle. Their late commander, Captain Le Bau came in deservedly for his share of affectionate and cordial mention. He responded in a strain of glowing eloquence, which enchained the ardent and excited audience in profound silence, save when the appliaise burst forth involuntarily. Other speeches followed, the utmost harmony and good feeling prevailed, and the company separated at an early hour, deeply gratified by the pleasant evening they had passed.

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Our friends of the Hoboken Model Yacht Club held their annual regatta on the 7th inst. The club made a capital show, ten boats having been entered for the race. The day was beautiful for every purpose but yachting. There was very little wind, so that it was rather a drifting triat than a race. Still the yachtsmen displyed much spirit, and put the best possible face upon a very dispiriting matter. The prizes were gold medals, and were won by the Alice, first class; the C. V. Chickner, second class; and the Isaac Walton, third class. The Judges were W. W. Shippen, E. R. Morton and William T. Cushing.

The sanual communication of the M. W. Grand Lodge of F. A. Masons, of the State of New York, which was held in this city during the first week in June, was memorable from the fact that the differences which have so long existed in this otherwise united and honorable body have been happily healed, and presents once more an undivided front. This much desired union has been effected without any compromise of dignity on either side, and the annual communication of June, 1858, will be long remembered as a bright spot in our masonic history.

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We are pleased to notice any new enterprise in the world of art. We learn that a magnificent view of the front of Cologne Cathedral is shortly to be published in Boston. A German architect, Mr. Paul Schultze, has undertaken the task. Neglected in his own country on account of the great attendant expense, he has executed a perspective view, including the two great towers (each 550 feet in height), upon a stone larger than any before used in this country. The engraving will measure about twenty-six inches by thirty-lour.

SWILL MILK COMMITTEE.

THE following communication is from the pen of an aged and eminent physician, who has studied the subject deeply. His ppinion will be read with interest-ED. FRANK LE-LIE'S ILLUS-TRATED NEWSPAPER.

The powerful and diversified interests operating against an unfavorable report by the Committee engaged in the swill milk investigation, and the apparent leading towards those interests displayed by some of the members of that Committee, it is feared may triumph over present opposition and all legal machinents against a nefarrous and subterated traffic.

Millions of dollars are invested in the profitable imposition of vending swill milk; this was ton sacifice of health, particularly in the days of infancy, on the altar of cupidity. Among its interested advocates and defenders, are distillers of alcoholic poisons—next in order, the wholesale owners of cows, like see and otherwise—directly in their rear are the carimen or retail vendors of the spurious article; such an accu unlation of inversit combined in one cause, and that cause the accumulation of wealth at all lazards, it is scarcely a matter of surprise that the cars of aldermen, and even motical men, should be closed to the disclosure of those common-sense truths, at the reversition of which honest integrity shrinks back aghast, and the crimsoned blood rushes to the cheeks of hardened and pallid shame.

It needs no elaborate argument to prove that whatever enters the stomach of the cow forms, ultimately, a portion of her milk; the simple fact that carlie, mingled with the grassy food of the animal, imparts to her milk a smell and usite that cannot be eradicated, affords evidence, incontrovertible, of the act.

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Setting aside its alcoholic elements, it has none other; the farinaceons and lutinous properties of the grain have passed away, in distillation, into the leoholic compound that is destined to be seen broadcast upon society under the ames of gin, imported brandy. New England rum, &c; all that remains of our siment in the swill is a residuum of alcohol.

Reasoning from analogy, we find that alcohol first excites and ultimately estroys the nervous system; that the coais of the stomach become ulcersteind softened by its constant use; that the appetite fails, health diminishes, he liver becomes highly diseased; the brain not unfrequently becomes like he stomach, softened, and an iddictic death closes the scene.

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If these are the effects of alcohol on man, even under the administration of nourishing lood, what must be its effect on the cow in the absence of all other nourishment? The reply is written in indelible characters on the portals of violated nature—low fever and decomposition of the fluids and solids of the system.

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Nature has laid down special laws for the government of her creatures; there is one universal in its application—that animal health cannot be maintained without air and exercise; nor can covar feel up by dozens in close proximity, with no adequate exercise, breathing and re-breathing an atmosphere charged with carbonic animal effluvia, and fed upon the refuse of sloohole distillation, escape disease—or Nature must revere her laws and her order, trample upon her institutions and remodel her creation.

The soldies are deposited and formed by the fluids of the system; one cannot be diseased and the other casage.

If milk from cows soffering under a loath-ome and ulcerated disease, an actual sloughing off of the solids, is not injurious to infantile health, the prosecutions against butchers for setting diseased meat are cruel and unjust—for the latter is not more permicious than the former.

Should the live-tiga log Committee, swayed by interests of any description frame a report favorable to the swill milk operators, we can but hope that a power which no combination of specific interests can resist—that of the people—will set aside the iriquitous verder, a dact with boldness and determination, as husbands and fathers, in abolishing a traffic which, in its thirsfer gain, strikes at the prostration of health, the generation of disease, and a remander and early grave.

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Human life is of greater value in our land than in any other on the glob its pre-ervation (politically) is a zolemn public duty; its private value couly be forcibly appreciated by those who have seen their off-pring wither an pine away, like blighted flowers in the wilderness, sinking from a cause bevon the reach of the physician, and unrevealed to them, but now did to lacoholic, swill-fed milk!

LITERATURE.

RECOLLECTIONS OF THE LAST DAYS OF SHELLEY AND BYRON, by

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RECOLLECTIONS OF THE LAST DAYS OF SHELLEY AND BYRON, by E. J. TRELAWAY. Boston: Ticknor & Fields.

The title of this book is one calculated alone to procure for it a large circle of readers, and to secure for the author a kind of reputation, as being the admitted intimate companion—we will not say iriend—of two such eminent men as Byron and Shelley. But a glance through its pages will forbid any one envying the reputation which Mr. Trelawny will achieve by parading this intimacy to the world—an intimacy of which he should have been proud, for it was surely a privilege accorded to him more from accident of position than to equality or sympathy of mind, but which he has used to link his name with theirs, and while he says here their every feible, exhibite his own meanness and untreatworthiness is such glaring colors that they will for ever be pointed at as evidences, most only of bad tasts, but of a bad heart.

Heimakes Shelley a misanthropic, puling hero, full of all the small evidences of greateess which Mr. Trelawny could appreciate. He endeavors to do him justice, but the resider sha lows forth more of the true character of Shelley from what Trelawny does not say than from what he does say. Of the two poets Shelley was andoubtedly his fav. rite; there was probably nothing in the gentle unobirusive character of Shelley to off and his self-love. Shelley possibly endured him without a murmur, while the haughty and irritable flyron could ill brook the ev-risating platitudes which the constant association with Trelawny must have inflicted upon him; and doubt ess caused their relative positions, mentally considered, to be keenly felt, and thereby wounded past forgetfulness the amour propre of the man who would be intimate with a live poet. In this mortified spirit he exhibitis Byron as the increation of human weakness, he has a subject to admirable acting—in short, the Byron of Trelawny is too mean even for a common villain. But he is not content with rendering the mental and moral character of Byron c

Infrognout the whole work will disgust the reflecting reader. The volume is brought out in that style of excellence which distinguishes the publications of Tickner & Fields.

HEP POLYLINGUAL JOURNAL: a Magazine in Five Languages—French, Spanish, Italian, German and English.

This magazine is cealgned to afford, in a cheap and convenient form, impocant is distilited for learning the French, Italian, Spanish and German languages. The edit of, Hirm C. Sparis, whose opportunities for acquiring a practical knowledge of the principal languages of Europe have been most favorable, has, during a period of more than fifteen years, directed his attention to improvements in teaching the modern_languages. He has travelled extensively through Europe; has visited all the scats of learning; studied the peculiarities of their several methods of teaching; and the practical results of his observations will appear in the numbers of the Polyingual Journal. The same text is given in French, Spanish, Italian and German, arranged side by side in paragraphs almost line to line, so that the greatest accilities are afforded for comparing the analysis in the various languages. This plan is tollowed in the most distinguit hed German universities with marked success.

The plan of the work is a dimirable, and it will be found perfectly invaluable in schools and colleges, and the private student will find it of inestimable value, and will derive assistance from its columns to a far greater extent than he would suppose possible. It will be found to smooth many difficulties, and greatly lessen the labor of learning the several languages. French, Spanish, Italian and German, to be found in the supplement to this really valuable magazine, are very important features in the plan, and add, in the highest degree, to its prefection.

The Polylingual Journal was commenced last August as a quarterly at the subscription price of 22 per annum, but its success has been of so decided a character that Professor Sparks, the able editor and proprietor, at the

large class to which it is addressed. It is published by Professor Sparks at 336 Broadway, where subscriptions are received.

Many Derwent. By Mrs. Ann S. Stephens.

This new novel will greatly enhance the already brilliant reputation of Mrs. Ann S. Stephens. As a writer Mrs. Stephens stands at the very head of the female novelists of America, and, indeed, she soars far above all competitors of her own zex, and disputes successfully with the stronger minds of the aterner gender. She is certainly a remarkable woman, and each new work gives additional evidence of force and vigor of character and imagination.

The scene of the work is last in the valley of Wyoming at the time of the massacre, in itself one of the most exciting incidents of the Revolution, and about this thrilling subject Mrs. Stephens has woven a story so thrilling and beautiful, that from the first page to the last the reader's attention is fascinated by a spell which he has no power to resist. The original plot of the story was published some sixteen years since, and gained the largest prize ever offered for a magazine tale, serving at the save time as the groundwork of Mrs. Stephens' present popularity. But that story forms only a small portion of the novel, attered and improved by mature judgment and power.

The characters are drawn with that force and clearners which gives reality to fiction, dwelling upon the mind with vivid alstinctness. The gentle, hunchbacked girl, the haughty Catharine Montour, the fron-hearted Queen Esther, and the quaint old maid, Polly Carrer, are living personeges to the reader. The principal fault we can find with the book is in its continued excitement, and the action is so rapid that one has scarcely time to breathe. But this is to a certain extenn obviated by the story of Catharine Montour, which gives the strong contrast of civilized luxurious life with the widness of frontier experience.

MUSIC.

ITALIAN OPERA, FOURTEENTH STREET.—The star of Gazzaniga is high in the ascendant. We can say, without straining the truth, that the grows every day more popular, and that every character she undertakes affords new evidence of that glowing and impulsive genius which forms the peculiar attraction, which all acknowledge who come within the charm of her representations.

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GENUND THAIRERO.—We understand that Thalberg, the master spirit of the office, is about to leave for Europe immediately. Madame Toalberg arr.vod recently, and the intelligence of which she is the bearer will compet the plants to return forthwith. His separture will be regretted everywhere; or was an artist so popular, and never were esteem and popularity more classred.

fully deserved.

Colonel James Pipes, of Pipesville —We have had numerous irquiries as to who Colonel James Pipes, of Pipesville, is, but we have made up our mind to reserve our information. The weather is too hot for revelations, and many of our readers, the ladies especially, would hardly survive the disclosure. We will, however, subend so far from our reserve as to say that he is a migratory Admirable Criction, vocally, poetically, muckally, literary, elecutionary and ancedotically; and that he has deligited all the rest of the world, and that, having failen from some lucky star upon our shores, has concluded to delight us as soon as the warm weather has abated.

DRAMA.

BARNUM'S MUSEUM.—This excellent Museum, full of curiosities, is now one of the coolest resorts in New York—it has amusement for all ages and dispositions, and for the dramatically inclined there is the Lecture-room, where a constant supply of new dramas or subjects of local interest are put on the stage with excellent taste and very well acted.

Woon's Buildings.—The ever-thoughtful manager has, at a considerable outlay, invented a plan to obviate the trifling inconvenience of waiting at the big office to purchase tickets, by coining a number of eliver medals, which can be purchased during the day at some of the principal stores in New York; these admit, on presentation to the doorkeeper, without any delay, and, as they are of equal value to the American quarter and are taken at many stores for that amount, even if not used, are good for what they cost, namely, twenty-five cents. The Panorama of the Hudson is a complete success, and as good as a voyage up the river.

NIMO'S GARDEX.—The Ravels are gone! They closed last Saturday the most remarkable career ever achieved by one family.

CEARLOTTE CUSHMAN—This eminent American tragedienne convents.

CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN —This eminent American tragedienne commenced a short engagement on Monday as Queen Katherine. It is her intention to per-sounts some of her chief characters previous to her departure for England. We must postpone till next week a more lengthy notice.

A PLEASANT SAIL.—The sun has at length fairly set up in business for the summer, and New York is melting away before him like ice cream before a schoolboy. The city is out of town; and those who are unable to make a complete exodus are lo king anxiously around for some temporary cool retreat. To such we can recommend a trip to Bridgeport, which can be reached by the steamer of that name, Capt. Weeks, sailing every alternate day. A pleasanter and cheaper excursion could scarcely be made. The fare is only 50 cents.

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GOVERNESS, WINNER OF THE OAKS.

GOVERNESS AND BEADSMAN.

The Winners of the Derby and the Oaks Stakes at Epsom Races, England.

We engrave portraits of the two most popular animals in Europe, the winners of the Oaks and Derby. The love of the English people for horseracing is proverbial; indeed, it rules per-English people for horseracing is proverbial; indeed, it rules perhaps supreme among their many out-door amusements. On the Derby Day all London streams out to Epsom, a distance of twenty miles, and dukes, marquises, gentry, shopkeepers, gipsies and tickpockets, mingle together on a footing of complete equality and perfect good humor. Although several hundred thousand persons are generally assembled, dusturbances very rarely take place, and a comparatively small force of police suffice to maintain order and quiet. On the 19th of May this vast assemblage was gathered at Epsom, in expectation of a race at which twenty-three horses were to run, and it is probable that not less than \$10,000,000 were staked in bets upon the result. The Prime Minister of England alone is said to have had \$25,000 dependent upon the success of his famous horse, Toxophilite. Beadsman, however, won the race, and a large sum for his owner, Sir Joseph Hawley. He is a dark-brown horse, about fifteen hands high, very lithe and graceful in his build, with unusually powerful limbs.

Toxophilite, Lord Derby's horse, was second best, and after

him Hadji. At starting the bets on the avorite racers were four to one on Toxophilite, eight to one on Beadman, and nine to one on Fitzroland. The race was only won by a neck, and the odds against the third horse (Hadji) had been twenty to one. It is remarkable that Beadsman, the winner, missed exclusion from the race only by the revival of an obsolete rule. On being weighed at the last moment, his jockey was found too light by a pound, when he claimed that the bridle should be thrown in as a makeweight. This claim was found consistent with the rules of the Turf, and it secured the triumph for Sir Joseph Hawley. Such importance is attached to this race by the people of England, that the Imperial Parliament actually adjourns annually for the "Derby Day."

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coverness, the lair winner of the Oaks, another great race coming off immediately after the Derby, is a flat-sided, ordinary-looking mare, of more than sixteen hands in height. She had scarcely been heard of before this triumph; and indeed it is remarkable that, of all the thousand predictions made on different races, scarcely any are ever found correct. No one anticipated the triumph of Beadsman.

A FEELING REPLY.—Milton was asked by a friend whether he would instruct his daughters in the different languages, to which he replied: "No, sir; one tongue is sufficient for a woman."

THE CANGEMI TRIAL.

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The present time in New York city may be termed are era of murder trials; our courts are embarrassed by them to the exclusion of all other interests—a fearful comment upon the growing indifference of brutal men for the restraints of the law. We acknowledge no sympathy with that mawkish sentimentality that denounces the death penalty for killing a human being; we think the mercy that is displayed to the homicide is injury to the innocent thousands who compose the community in which the wrong we complain of is committed. In alluding to the Cangemi case, it is not because of 'the delays' that have been accomplished by "learned counsel," but because of the extraordinary circumstances that have been developed upon the different trials which have been held, and because of the moral influence which this trial will work upon future cases, a bad one in our estimation, because it will fortify the opposition against capital punishment, and thus go far to break down the little remaining fear which lawless men may have for the punishment of crime.

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Between four and five o'clock in the morning of the 21st of July, 1867, within a few days of one year ago, Eugene Anderson, a member of the Metropolitan police, a worthy, public-spirited young man, was killed while in the actual discharge of his duty. The details of the circumstances are familiar. The excitement that followed this event was most intense, particularly among the butchers and firemen, with whom Anderson was justly popular. Could the supposed murderer, Cangemi, at the time have been taken from the custody of the law officers after he was arrested, there cannot be a doubt but that he would have been summarily dealt with. The first trial took place



BEADSWAN, WINNER OF THE DERBY.

in September, before Justice Roosevelt. Cangemi was too poor to employ counsel, and the court mercifully assigned it, appointing the Hon. John N. Ashmead, assisted by E. and B. J. Blankman, Esqrs. When the trial came off the prosecution was conducted, with able assistance, by A. Oakey Hall, Esq., District Attorney. The witnesses who were present at the murder, and, after a long chase, arrested Cangemi at his own house, were all present, and yet, to the astonishment of the public mind, which was convinced that Cangemi was the guilty party, the trial resulted in a disagreement. On the following November a second trial took place, before Judge Davies, when Cangemi was pronounced guilty, and was sentenced to be hung. This result, which seemed to be in accordance with justice, was hailed by the public as a good omen, and it was believed that punishment was at last, though tardy, to be meted out to the guilty. Meantime, however, it was discovered that the counsel for the defence were bringing an amount of ability to bear that commanded admiration from the bar and surprise from the attendants upon our courts, and this feeling was further confirmed when the counsel succeeded in obtaining from the Court of Appeals the order for a new trial, on exceptions taken to the charge of Judge Davis before the retirement of the jury that brought in Cangemi guilty of murder, thus apparently adding still further embarrassment to the tardy use o' the sword of justice. On Friday, the l1th of June, Judge Wright presiding, the third trial commenced, and from peculiar circumstances, a new interest was added to the event. Two witnesses, not necessarily important but still prominent, had since the second trial died. An election had been held and a new District Attorney was elected in the person of Peter B. Sweeny, who, it may be interesting to know, was entrusted with the most important civil office for the protection of our citizens known to the laws, viz, the prosecution of criminals, when he had never appeared before a Court in a prosec

McKeon, late United States District Attorney, a most powerful combination of legal ability.

It is not surprising that the antecedent circumstances, with the array of counsel, created an intense interest in the public mind. The case opened with a court-room crowded to suffocation. The trial progressed with the constant bringing forth of the old witnesses, when it was rumored that Lauth, "the rag-picker witness," the principal one on the part of the prosecution, had offered to take a bribe, either to swear differently in his testimony on the pending trial, or go to Europe, as the defence might see fit. This fact was shown past a doubt. Through agents and personally he appeared at Mr. Blankman's office, and solicited to be bought up. In his hot haste to make money by the sale of blood, he wrote two different receipts in advance of any payment, in hopes, it would seem, of thus clinching the bargain. The morality of "entrapping witnesses" is not for us to discuss, but certainly such creatures as Lauth should be exposed, for his example exhibits the fearful state of things in New York, where witnesses can evidently be "bought for a song" to swear away your life and character; and it would seem that they can do



METHOD OF MILKING A SICK COW. A STICK IS PASSED UNDERNEATH THE POOR BEAST, WHICH IS HELD AT RITHER END BY A THING CALLED A MAN. THE PURE AND NUTRITIOUS MILK IS THEN DISPENSED TO LITTLE CHILDREN.

throughout the previous trials. And here we find the foundation of the moral influence that this Cangemi trial is destined to produce in the future. Had he been hanged according to the sentence of the second trial, there is a possibility that an innocent man would have been sent before his time into eternity; and then follows the proposition, if the law's delay has developed this possibility, after evidence apparently so pointed and direct, who can be convicted of murder?

murder?
The Hon. John W. Ashmead, who has but recently become a

at the time it arrived in New York harbor, attracted a great deal o attention. Cangemi refused to take passage in the ship, being able to pay his own expenses, and accordingly came a second time to the United States at his own expense. After a few months residence here he found that his means would soon be exhausted and he got a countryman of his to apply to Mr. Shaw, the bookbinder, for work. He learned the trade very quickly, and was soon able to earn journeyman's wages. To occupy wholly his time, he was in the habit of taking work home at night and bringing it back to the shop completed, in the morning. In the several years he worked with Mr. Shaw, he was never absent from labor but one day, and throughout his residence here he has borne an unexceptionable character, and from his countrymen possessed the same in his native land.

Contrary to expectation, the third trial ended in "Guilty," but as there were but eleven men on the jury at the time the verdict was given, one, Mr. Muller, having been withdrawn by consent of counsel on both sides, we presume the trial just ended will become a legal farce, and that a new trial must be granted.

THE SKELETON PAPERS-NO. II. The Manuscript of the Coffin-A Tale of France.

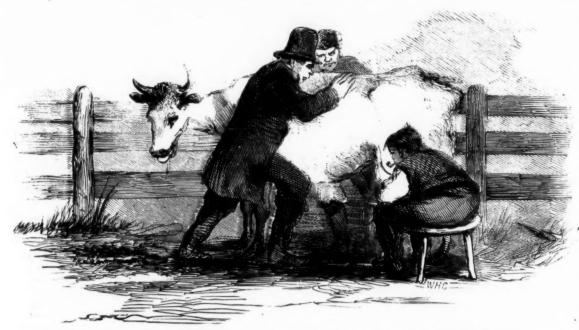
CHAPTER I .- THE COUNT'S FIRST MEETING WITH HIS FATHER. Angels and ministers of grace defend us!

Thy bones are marrowless!—Shakesprarg.

COUNT FRANÇOIS MACHELLI was seated at his breakfast in a listless mood, which he attributed to a thunderstorm that had raged so violently during the night as to render sleep impossible. He felt a sadness unusual to him, and which not even the brightness of a fine May morning could dispel. It might be termed a solemnity of heart rather than of sadness, resembling, in a mental point of view, that peculiar gloom which overspreads the earth in a total eclipse of the

rather than of saaness, resembling, in a mental point of view, that peculiar gloom which overspreads the earth in a total eclipse of the sun at noonday. Turning away from the repast, he gazed through the open window. The birds were singing their mellow notes, the meadows were refreshed with the heavy showers, and revelling in glorious sunshine. The Loire glowed before him, flocks and herds were grazing, ever and anon the caw of the crow, as it sailed solemnly through the air, came over the scene. All was clear, bright and spoke of peace.

François was the last of a noble race, a tragedy, alike inexplicable and startling, had clouded the close of his father's life. The facts, as reported, were briefly these: Charalois Machelli, the father of François, and Baron Gaston de Foix had been friends from childhood. Their estates joined. On the same day they had espoused two sisters, Helen and Blanche. This seemed only to render their families more intimate, although never were two men more different. Gaston was a man of no religion, while Charalois was almost of a monastic strictness. The same diversity existed in their wives; Blanche, who was all purity and innocence itself, was married to the gay libertine; while Helen, whose heart beat only for pleasure, was united to the serious and punctilious formalist. These very differences of character seemed, however, to cement their union, just as the various prismatic colors combine to form light. Their chateaux being the only residences of that description for reasy miles rendered. the various prismatic colors combine to form light. Their chateaux being the only residences of that description for many miles, rendered



method of milking a sick cow, as seen by cramer varnam, in a vacant lot adjoining johnson's sixteenth street distillery swill stables. Vidk evidence before the committee, june 15th, 1858.

this without any apparent consequences to themselves. That Lauth would take a bribe was proved beyond dispute; that he was "entrapped" was admitted in the able summing-up speech of Mr.

The remarkable character of this trial now developed itself. Doubts good and substantial were created in the least observant spectator as to the prisoner's guilt. It was apparent that he might not be the man, and that after all the real culprit had escaped, and by a singular Providence, had been unnoticed and unalluded to

M. JOHN W. ASHMHAN, COUNTRY FOR THE DEFRICE OF CANGERIL

resident of this city, was born in Philadelphia, and is now in the prime of life. He read law with Judge Randall, and very soon obtained in his native city a lucrative practice. His first appearance in public life was as a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature. When the Hon. Ellis Lewis was Attorney General of the State, Mr. Ashmead was appointed to prosecute in the Court of Oyer and Terminer for the county of Philadelphia, and in the Supreme Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. For nearly six years he was District Attorney of the United States, and resigned in the second year of General Pierce's Administration, to carry out his design of removing to this city. His great case in which he achieved a wide spread reputation, and placed himself among the leading legal minds of the day, was, no doubt, when he conducted the Government prosecution in the famous treason cases growing out of the Charleston slave case. The case tried was that of Castner Hanway. He also argued the Wilkesbarre slave case for the Government, in which Marshal Wyncoop was arrested by the State authorities of Pennsylvania on both a civil and criminal process, growing out of his attempt to arrest a fugitive slave.

Edmon Blankman was born in New York city, June 15th, 1829, but studied law in Philadelphia, in the office of the Hon. John Sergeant. In the year 1849 he returned to New York, and commenced under favorable circumstances the practice of law. Mr. Blankman and Mr. Ashmead were appointed to defend Cangemi in August last, not as volunteers, but as men who had a responsible duty assigned to them, and the industry and ability they have displayed have attracted the universal attention of the community.

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Cangemi, according to his own statement, was born at Palermand was one of a family of five children, three brothers and two sisters. One brother died, the other is now attached to the Papal household and is a man of influence, or else he would not hold such a responsible position. The brother who died left some property, which was divided bet seen Cangemi and his sisters, the ecclesiastic waiving his interest. Cangemi kept a money loan office in his native town and everything went smoothly on with him until the year 1848. At that time the Italian revolution broke out, in which he took an active part. In the insurgent or liberal ranks he rose to the office of captain; the revolution proving unsuccessful, he was obliged to fly—came to New York, then went to New Orleans, where he engaged for a sew months in the fruit business; but, fearing the fever, left for Europe and landed at Marseilles. From this place he wrote for his wife to join him, which, being done, the two settled in Genoa. An attempt being made upon the life of the Emperor of Austria, political fugitives were obliged to leave the country.

To facilitate this purpose a Sardinian frigate was employed, which,



EDMON BLANKMAR, 280., COUNSEL FOR THE DEFENCE OF CAME

them almost totally dependent upon each other for that mutual in-

tercourse which gives life its truest zest.

Much of their time was spent in roaming together among the rural scenery of the Loire. This happy state was suddenly destroyed by the tragic event already alluded to. The Count and Countess Machelli had passed the day with the Baron and Baroness de Foix when, in the midst of dinner, and while engaged in the pleasantes conversation, the Baron de Foix, who had that day copiously indulged in wine, became suddenly mad, and seizing a knife that was lying on the table before him, stabbed himself to the heart. This had so great an effect upon his wife, that, after the funeral, she returned to a convent, where she soon died of a broken heart. met after the obsequies, and, strange to say, even on her dealthbed Sister Agatha, as the baroness was called, declined to receive a visit from her volatile sister, the Countess Machelli. A deep gloom spread also over the Machellis, and it was noticed particularly, that althou h they resided in the same chatcau, their love seemed to have been buried in the coffin of the unfortunate madman, who had, fur a moment of drunken excitement, rushed, unsummoned, into the presence of his Maker.

Six months after this melancholy event, his friend, Count Machelli,

died of fever, and a few weeks subsequent François was born, being a posthumous child. His mother married again, and went to reside in Paris with her husband, leaving François in the care of the Abbé Fleury, an ecclesiastic of great piety and learning. The young Count de Machelli was in his nineteenth year, and, owing to his studious and secluded life, of a calm and serious nature. He once a-year paid a visit to his mother, who had, however, only once revisited the chateau. There was, consequently, little sympathy be-

tween them.

While the young count was sitting in this more than accustomed. He was a venermelancholy, the curé of his village was announced. He was a venerable man, and had been the spiritual adviser of his father. The young noble rose, and greeting him with filial reverence, placed a chair for him.

The curé sat down, and after looking at François in deep sadness,

said, "My son, we had a severe thunderstorm last night." His young companion could scarce repress a smile at this gratuitous mention of an event that was loud enough to almost wake the dead, as he replied, "I heard it, Father Bernard; that awful crash towards the termination of the tempest, and which seemed to break directly over my head, struck awe into my soul. I trust it has done no damage to the village or its good people?"

"Not to the cottages," returned the curé; "but it has destroyed part of the church."

It is fortunate, good father, that it happened not at mass time!" "It has also," resumed the curé, "laid bare a part deeply interesting to you, my son!"

"What mean you?" anxiously inquired the young man.

"The lightning struck your family vault and laid bare the gloomy recesses of the tomb."

François bowed his head in reverence.

"What is also remarkable," continued the curé, "the effigy of the unhappy Count de Foix," here the good priest crossed himself, "was shivered to atoms, doubtless, in that appalling thunder-burst."

"Strange, indeed," murmured the young count.

I want you, my son, to accompany me to see the coffins removed

into the church while the vault is being repaired."
"It is a homage I owe the dead," was the count's response, as he inwardly accounted for the unusual gloom of soul he had experienced

all the morning.

In a few minutes they were on their way to the church, where they found a group of villagers gathered around the ancestral vault of the Machellis.

A strange speciacle presented itself. The lightning had litid one side of the tomb quite bare, while the collins appeared uninjured.

A feeling of awe prevented the count from inquiring which of

them contained the body of his father. Upon his arrival the laborers commenced removing them into the church. In raising a collin, one of the men stumbled—the shock threw it upon the ground and the lld fell off, exposing the contents.

With that morbid curiosity which ever prompts the human mind

to scrutinize the forbidden, the young count advanced and looked into the coffin. A skeleton, with the remains of a mouldy, wormeaten shroud hanging around it, met his sight.

"Whose bones are those?" inquired the count, in a low voice, of

" My son, they are your father's." was the startling response

A thrill of solemn emotion passed through the young man's frame. Instinctively uncovering his head, he knelt by the side of the coffin and bowing down, remained in prayer. As though one thought had passed, like an electric shock, through the breasts of the crowd, all bared their heads and stood in a state of devout silence.

The scene was striking,
This was the count's first look upon the author of his being. After a short prayer the young man arose, and, too much affected by the solemn nature of the surprise to remain, returned to the cha-

teau, leaving the good curé to perform the pious duty. Retiring to his study, he remained for some time musing over the remarkable events of the morning—it seemed almost more than mere coincidence that the same flash of lightning had shattered his family vault and shivered the stone effigy of Gaston de Foix.

This was rendered still more strange by the fact that his father's

coffin, which had been the last deposited, should be the only one

roken by the moving.

He felt as though he was on the threshold of some astounding discovery or dreadful misfortune. In this state of mind, half dream, half thought, now made up of the past and now of the future, he he remained for some time. At length, feeling that the excitement of the scene he had passed through had created an almost intolera-ble thirst, he descended to the hall and ordered some refreshments. After drinking two or three goblets of Burgundy, he took a more cheerful view of the event, and dwelt upon it with a poetical interest. While he was thus engaged the curé entered the room.

"My son," commenced he, "after you left the church, I made a range discovery. In your father's coffin I found this roll of papers— "My son," commenced he, "after you left the church, I made a strange discovery. In your father's coffin I found this roll of papers—they were covered with dust. They had evidently been placed under his head. I have brought them to you, unopened, of course, that being your sacred task."

Saying this, the curé presented the packet to the count, who, as he received it, felt a sensation so terrible and overpowering that a dizziness stole over him, from which he only recovered after som

minutes' solemn prayer to his patron saint.

"My dear friend," at last said François, " pardon this agitation. I trace the hand of Heaven in this. When the thunder aroused me sleep last night, I felt its voice was meant for my ear. till then I had revelled in the thunder's roar, and watched the lightning flash with passionate admiration till my sight ached at its daz-zling glory; but last night I felt a holy awc—a sublime terror—a yearning apprehension I never knew before. Till then I had met that wonderful phase of nature as a sympathizing sharer in jestic revelling, but last night I felt as a child before the warning voice of his God!"

"My dear sir," answered the curé, "your gifts to the virgin's shrine have not been lost. A saint's whisper is thunder to the

By this time the count had somewhat recovered his composure, and was able to look at the packet so unexpectedly placed in his hands. It was very little decayed, being covered with a stout parchment, on which was written:

THE CONFESSION OF MY SOUL, To be buried with me CHARALOIS DE MACHELLI.

As the count had innumerable manuscripts of his father, he knew at a glance it was his undoubted handwriting, and this naturally lent

even additional interest to what was of itself so supernatural in its

After carefully examining it he said, "Father Bernard, you are my

confessor. I have no secrets from you or God. Remain with me, and we will peruse this sacred document."

"My son," replied the curé, "I was present to-day at your first meeting with the mortal remains of your father (the Lord assolizie him). I shared that accident with others. Your spiritual meeting will be best without any witness, save that eye that never sleeps—Bene

So noiseless and so rapid were the cure's movements, that when

The count raised his head he found he was alone.

"Perhaps 'tis best," he murmured. "But my heart tells me that the great mystery of my life is at last to be revealed!"

With the manuscript of the coffin in his hand, the count passed up and down the long hall of his ancestral château, whose oak-carved sides were peopled with evidences of former deeds in war, love and

"Not here! not here!" at last he cjaculated. "In my own study, where my dear father breathed his last, will I meet his spirit in this mysterious packet."

Then a sudden doub, came over him. "Ah! ought I violate the sanctity of the dead?" And again he paced the room. "To be buried with me!" he muttered to himself.

I will restore them to the coffin," said he. "This contains some secret not meant for the world! Yes, although I never saw my father, and he never saw me; died without knowing that he had called into the world an inheritor of his name and a lover of his character, yet I will respect his command, and restore to the tomb this confession, which has so wonderfully been placed in my hands.

With this determination he sought his own chamber, and having related to his aged steward part of the day's events, concealing the fact of the manuscript, he told him he was so much worn with the ordeal that he would not be disturbed.

Eustace promised obedience to his wishes, and left the young ount to the solitude of his chamber. The shades of evening were now beginning to gather, and one by one the oak carving in the old room began to assume various as pects, almost breathing life.

His mind and body, overstrained with the day's excitements, François Machelli, without undressing, threw himself upon his couch and was soon in a deep slumber. His dream was almost as extraordinary as the realities of the day had been. He thought that, as he laid in his bed, a skeleton hand undrew his curtains, and after looking at him with eyes of fire, the ghastly thing said, "Son, how dare you despise the bidding of Heaven? Think you that the hand of nature put that manuscript within your grasp without its own mysterious object?"

At this minute characters of fire were traced on the wall, and François read, "Be sure your sin will find you out!" When the skeleton saw these words it fell into dust at the count's feet. With a deep groan the count awoke. The lamp had expired, but the moon shone into the room, and threw a blue shade of light upon the fulllength portrait of his father, which was on one side of the hearth. A sense of superstition overcame him, and recommending himself to the saints, again he closed his eyes and soon fell into a disturbed sleep, partly the result of his unusual libations and partly of his mental excitement.

He was again tormented by dreams. He thought that he was wakened by the rattling of bones, and looking round saw the effigy of the Gaston de Foix, so strangely shattered by the lightning, stealing towards the table on which the count had left the manuscript of the tomb, and about to clutch it with its gaunt, lifted finger, when the tomb, and about to clutch it with its gaunt, lifted finger, when the skeleton of his father suddenly appeared, and gliding before it rescued it from the horror-struck warrior, saying, "Avaunt! this is for my dear son whom I have seen to-day from my coffin!" The mailed warrior vanished, and the skeleton approaching the bed of his son put the roll of paper under his head. Clasping his bony hands together, and holding them over the young count's head, as though in the act of prayer, it became an angel of light, and soared into the start. into Heaven.

The count starting up said, "I will read it; 'tis the will of Heaven Having replenished his lamp he was about looking at his horologue,

when the clock of the abbey struck the midnight hour.

"A fitting time," said François Machelli, "to read the manuscript of the dead." Advancing to the table, what was his dismay and astonishment to find that the sacred packet had disappeared.

(To be continued.)

A Nulsance.—There are a certain class of ghouls who prey upon mar-riages and obituaries. Not long ago, Capt. Graves, of Trenton, married his cousin, Nancy Graves. The monster wrote this:

"The grave, 'tis said, will yield its dead When the last trumpet shakes the skies; But, if God please, from Graves like these A dozen living folks may rise."

Shortly afterwards, our friend George Bean married Sarah Greenfield. Thus

"If fate shall to their wishes yield (And fate to true love leans), line may bestow on this Greenfield A lovely crop of Beans." Tin

But a recent attempt at wit in the Evening Express exceeds everything. It is intended to celebrate the marriage of Miss Lucretia Head to a Mr. Wiser, a well-known tailor in Gotham. Although not Mr. Morford's best, this is not so bad as some of his best are:

'Wisely did Henry Wiser wed,
In Erie town, Lucretta Head;
'Tis hoped that he will highly prize her,
For though she's lost her head, she's Wiser.''

Two Deviis. — That very clever locomotive, Bayard Taylor, has so damaged himself by his indiscreet nonsense in pretending to be pestered with the love-letters of girls suffering from green sickness or eating green goose-berries, that we hardly like to say anything in his favor. Still he is rather a clever man, and therefore we copy an aneclote of him from the Pipmouth Locomotive, whose editor was fellow-devil to Taylor. We hope Taylor's German wife likes Bayard all the better for his insolen: blowing about offers of marriage from american ladies, but as this was written before Bayard lost his good sense in loafing around the universe, we make room for it: "We had the honor to succeed him in our 'devilehip' in the Village Record office, Westchester, Chester county, Pa. We well remember when he started out on his first 'tramp,' with his small satchel containing a change or two of linen, and fifty cents capital. The apprentices in those days had to carry the papers through the country on horse-ack, and our route was just past his father's house. We do not know of a single time, through rain or shine, that eid Mr. Taylor did not meet us at the end of the lane with a happy suite, wishing us a good day, and as we would hand him the Weskly Record, he would remark, 'A fair excisinge is no robbery,' filling one side of our saddle-bags with nice apples and graye, he would had him the Weskly Record, he would remark, 'A fair excisinge is no robbery,' filling one side of our saddle-bags with nice apples and grayer, and said, 'The liked to registe about too much; he was not steady sneeds.' At the his stord Bayard, the printer's apprentice, would one day be quoted as the greatest traveling historian that America could boast of." Two Devils. - That very clever locomotive, Bayard Taylor, has

Relic of the Past.—Nothing so forcibly illustrates the progress of the werld as a newspaper. What a light the Frank Lesle's Illustrated Paper of Nimrod's time would throw upon the antediluvian world! Pictures of prize mastedors exhibiting, at some Assyrian Barmun's—wonderful megatheriums at the Crystal Palace of Nimevel!—an exquisite engraving of Belshazzar's sable as laid out for that well-known feast, given perhaps in honer of some Babylonian or Chaidean Tigers, come on to see the elephant. But we must not wander from our point, which is to copy an advertisement worthy of the Tribune. It is taken from the Boston Gazette of July 17, 1758! What a change in a hundred years! "Just imported from Africa, and to be sold on beard the brig Jonney. Wm. Elizary, Commander, now lying at New Boston, A number of likely NEGRO BOYS and GIRLS from 12 to 14 years of age. Inquire of said Elligry on beard said Brig, where constant a tendance is given. Note The above Slaves have all had the Small Pox. Treasurer's Notes and New England Rum will be taken as pay." The offer to swap niggers for New England rem seems done on purpose to entice our friend Hildreth to bid for the woolly heads. Perhaps there is a mistake of a hundred years in the date, which should be 1858!

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CALIFORNIA —Shaw has brought "the consideration test" to bear upon Frank-lin, whose metal is not quite up to the champion standard, there being too much alloy of "business engagementa" in the composition. In other words, Franklin don't accept Shaw's challenge, which is for a considerable amount.

The Cames Congress Picture — Chees Clubs or amateurs desirous of obtaining early and perfect impressions of the "Congress Picture" may now be accommodated by remitting the price, three dollars, to us. An impression may be seen at 98 Nassau street.

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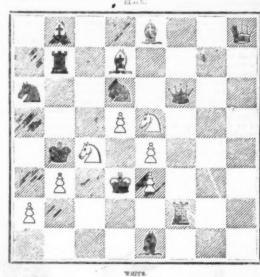
COMMUNICATION: RECEIVED.—J. H. M., Avon Springs, N. Y; O. Bell, St. Anthony's Falls, Minn. (will be answered in our next paper); Phil Philidor; E. A. B., Charleston (we are waiting patiently for the portrait and the three-move tournament problem); J. Q. P. (let us know how some blank diagrams may be sent to you.) may be sent to you).

OLUTIONS TO PROBLEMS RECEIVED-Dr. R., Philadelphia; E. A. B., Charleston, S. C. Solutions to Proceeded Received—Dr. R., Philadelphia; E. A. B., Charleston, C. C.

To Correspondents—D. S. Roberts, Feq., San Frencisco, Cal. The welcome
budget is to hand; the letter of May 19th is the only one received; the others
have gone wrong; address box 2,495 in future; further by mail.—Davenpure
Carse Club, Iowa. We are indebted to some one belonging to this club for a
valued communication, but to whom we cannot say, as the letter did not
reach us in its original state. Our thanks are tendered to the obliging party.
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SCHWAZZEMSCHE SCHACHZEITUNG, Chur, Switzerland. Numbers of this Swiss Chess magosine have reached us. Many thanks to the editors for their courtesy. Those amateurs desirous of subscribing for this periodical may do so through us.

PROBLEM CXXXV.-By Dr. REID, Philadelphia.-White to play and checkmate in four move



PROBLEM CXXXVI—By Dr. Reid, Philadelphia.—Position of the Pieces—White: Bat Q6; Qat QB8; K at Q2. Black: K at Q4. White to play and checkmate in three moves.

PROBLEM CXXXVII.—By Dr. Rend. Philadelphia.—Posmov of the Pieces.—White: Bat K B 8; Qat K R 3; K at Q 6. Black: K at K B 6. White to play and checkmate in three moves.

OLUTION TO PROBLEM CXXXIV., by J. D., Portland, Me.—1. W. B to K B 4 (ch).

1. B. K to Q B 6. 2. W. Q to Q B q (ch). 2. B. K to Kt 5 (best). 3 W.

B to Q 2 (ch). 3. B. Q interposes (best). 4. W. Q tks Q (ch). 4. B.

Anything. 5. W. Q mates.

GAME CXXXV.—(Scotch GAMERT.)—Played in the California State Tournament, between D. S. Roberts, Esq., President of the Brooklyn Chess Club, and Wm. SCHLENDEN, Esq., of San Francisco. BLACK

	Me S	Me R	Mr. S.	Mr. R.
	1 17 12 0	E P 0	20 R the P	R to K 3
	2 Kt to K B 3	Kt to O B 3	33 Kt. to O B 2	R to B 4
	ROPO	P tka P	34 K R to 0 3 (ch)K to K 2
	4 B to 0 BA	B to O B 4	35 Kt to K 3	B to B S
	5 Castles	OP	36 Kt to B 5 (ch)	K to B so
•	6 K Itt to Kt 5	O Kt to K 4	37 R to K 4	R checks
3	7 B to 0 Kt 3	K B P	38 K to B-2	'R checks
	SK B D O	R P the Kt	19 R to K 2	R from K S to O B 3
	O K B D the Kt	O B to K 3	40 R to E 8	P to 0 R 4
	TO W the D	D the B	41 K R P	P to K Kt 3
	TI O to F Vt A	0 to 0 9	40 P to K Kt 5 (c)	P tka Kt
	10 R the P	O P the P	43 P tks B	P to K 5
2	13 0 Et to 0 2	Kt to R 3	44 K to Kt 3	K to B 2
,	14 O to R 4	R to K 2	45 K to B 4	K the P
	15 O to R 5 (ali)	E to O so (a)	46 K R P	R tha R
	10 B the Wt	17 the B	47 R the R	R to R 6
	17 O the Pot KA	R to R 3	48 R to B 2	R to K R 6
	18 O to O R 5	0 to 0 3	49 R to B so	R tha P
	19 O the O	P tks O	50 R to O R so	B checks
•	20 Kt to O R 4	K to 0.2	51 K to Kt 3	B checks
	21 0 P to 0 sa	O P to O B so	52 K to B 2	B to K Kt 2
ŀ	22 O Kt P	O Kt P 2	53 R to O B 5	R to O Kt 2
	93 Kt to R 3	P to 0 R 3	54 R P 2	P tks P
	94 K R to K R 3	OR to OR4	55 P tka P	R to O R 2
	25 K R P	P to 0 4	56 K to Kt 3	K to Kt 4
	26 P the P	R tk: P	57 R to K 5	R to 0 Kt 2
	27 K Kt P 2	P to O R 4	58 R tks P	R checks
	28 O R to K su	K to K 3	59 K to B 2	K to B 5
	29 K R to O S	B to B 5 (b)	60 R to O Kt 5 (d)R tks R
,	30 R to K 2	K to 0 3	61 P tks R	K to K 4
	31 Q B P 2	P the P en passant	White resigns.	Mr. R. R to K 3 R to B 4 K to K 2 B to B 3 K to B 8 K to B 8 K to B 8 R checks R checks R checks R from K 3 to Q B 3 P to Q R 4 F to K K t F to B 2 K tks P R the B R to B 6 R tks P R checks R checks R checks R checks R to K 6 R tks P R to B 6 R tks P R to B 6 R tks P R to B 6 R tks P R checks R to K K 2 R to Q K 2 R to Q R 2 K to K 4 R to Q R 2 K to K 4 R to Q K 2 R to Q K 4 R to Q R 2 R to Q K 5 R the R K to B 6 R tks R R to C K 4
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og the Knight would, perhaps, have been better.

MENTAL CHESS — Mr. Paulsen has on two occasions played ten games simulta-actured, without sight of boards or men, since the accomplishment of his ask at Chicago; once at Rock Island, and once at Davenport, lova. At lock Island he won all the ten games; at Davenport he won eight of the games, nat lost two—being the only ones lost out of the thirty played on the three ecasions. The following is one of the games played at Davenport, 19th of and lost two May, 1858.

GAME CXXXVI.		Pa 27	
WHITE.	Mr. A-	WHITE. Mr Paulsen.	Mr. A
1 P to K 4	P to K 4	25 Q Kt tks R	R to K sa
		26 Kt to Q 6	
3 P to K. B 4	P tks P	27 Kt to K B 3	
4 K Et to B 3		28 Q Kt to Q B 4	
5 B to 0 B 4	P to 0 3	29 P to O R 4	Kt to Q Kt 3
6 P to Q 4	B to K Kt 5	50 Kt tks Kt	B tks Kt
7 Q B the P	Q Kt to Q 2	SIK to RS	B to Q sq
8 Castles	V to K Kt 4	30 Kt tks Kt 31 K to R 3 32 K to Kt 4	R to K R 2
9 B to K Kt S	P to O B S	53 K to K R 5	R to K B 2
10 Q to K 2	Q to K 2	34 K to K Kt 6 35 P to K Kt 4 36 K tks R P	R to K 2
11 P to K 5	P the P	35 l' to K Kt 4	P to Q B 4
12 P the P	Kt to KR4	36 K tks R P	R to Q 2
13 O R to K so	Kt the H	37 R to K 2	K to B 2
14 P the Kt	Castles .	38 Kt tks P 39 K tks B	B tks Kt (ch)
15 Q to K 4	QB to K3	39 K tks B	R to Kt 2 (ch)
16 B tks B	P tks B	40 K to B 6	R tks P
17 Q to Q R 4	Q to Q B 4 (ch)	41 K tks R P	K to Q 2
18 K to R 2	K to Q Kt sq	42 K to K B 5. 43 P to K Kt 4. 44 P to K Kt 5	P to Kt 4
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21 P to Q B 3	B to Q E 4	45 P to K Kt 6 46 P to K Kt 7	R to F Pf sd-
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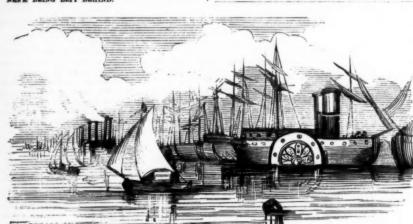
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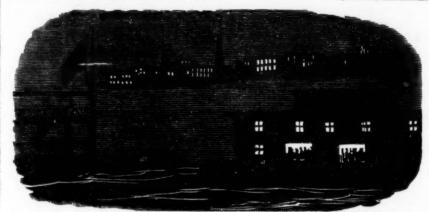
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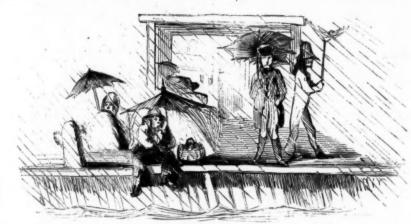
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